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KLONDIKERS RETURN WITH BIG FORTUNES

Steamer Excelsior Arrives at San Francisco with a Million Dollars in Golddust and Nuggets on Board.

MINERS SAY THAT FOOD IS ALREADY SCARCE.

Predict That There Will Be a Great Deal of Suffering During the Winter Months Among the People at Dawson City.

MANY THOUSANDS ARE STILL CROWDING INTO ALASKA.

It Is Estimated That Between Six Thousand and Seven Thousand Men Are Now in the Gold Fields of That Section.

WATER IN THE YUKON IS SO LOW THAT NAVIGATION IS DIFFICULT.

Ben Wold	$60,000
A. Harper	60,000
Mike Klatsen	50,000
A. Andrews	50,000
H. Summers	50,000
Hank Peterson	35,000
Will Hayes	35,000
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O. Rapp	20,000
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E. P. Leggett	12,000
H. Schafer	10,000

At least twenty-five more brought down from $2,000 to $10,000 each.

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 15.—The Alaska Commercial company's steamer Excelsior, which sailed from St. Michael's, Alaska, on Aug. 14 last, but was compelled to put into Unalaska for repairs on account of an accident to her propeller while at sea, arrived in port today with sixty-three passengers and about $1,000,000 worth of treasure. It was at first reported that she brought down $2,500,000 worth of gold dust, but this proved upon investigation to have been greatly exaggerated.

The Alaska Commercial company's steamer had on board about $1,000,000 worth of gold dust and nuggets. The passengers as a rule were very reticent as to their wealth.

The miners assigned as their reason for their reticence that in their opinion too much had already been said about the country and that too many were going into it unprepared. Frank Dinsmore and A. Andrews are reported to have made at least $100,000 each during their residence in the Klondike region, but both refuse to deny or affirm this report. Dinsmore, who has spent sixteen years in the Yukon country, says this is his first return to civilization in seven years. He and his companions are unanimously of the opinion that the rush is unprecedented, and, none of the trading companies being prepared to meet it, they predict great hardships for all who stay there during the coming winter. They confirm the stories already published of the scarcity of provisions and add their notes of warning to intending prospectors to stay away until summer.

Crowds at St. Michael's.

When the vessel left St. Michael's the steamship Humboldt's crowd was camped on the flats. They were a very disappointed lot, for none of them will get through. The story that the passengers held an indignation meeting and were going to lynch ex-Mayor Woods of Seattle is denied. They had made up their minds to make the best of the situation and "hold down" the flats until next spring when water is high in the Yukon. The river pilots reported the water very low in the river some time before the Weare sailed from Dawson, but some weeks after that the water raised a little and the early rains swelled the torrents considerably. However, the water was still at what is called the low stage, which means that the Hamilton, Belle, and other steamers will be delayed on their trips up-stream, because of the necessity of going ahead slowly, picking a way over the bars and making new channels.

Passengers brought word that there were from six to seven thousand people in Dawson and near there, but the Alaska Commercial company's agent intimates that there are only about 5,000 people at the mines, about 2,000 of whom have arrived at the town since last April from all parts of Alaska, and about 500 from Juneau, Puget Sound, and other places.

Following is the list of passengers:

Louis Sloss Jr., J. R. Webb, Ben Wold, wife, and child; S. S. Sears, J. Tolman, Bishop Rowe, Father Reno, M. Anderson, T. G. Grubbs, Chris Donovan, Charles Knight Ogilvie, William Hayes, Benjamin Olsen, William O. Rapp, Miss Gussie Lamore, Frank Cordigan, Charles Raymond, Frank Peterson, Eddie Parks, Harry Shafer, M. Kurtzen, E. S. Linsle, E. B. Leggett, Emmet Fitzgerald, J. A. Elwell, J. Murray, D. F. Lovett, Dus Pefersem, George W. Vogel, Joseph Bowman, O. Garrison and wife, W. A. Sherman, George Bettes and wife, C. Andrews and wife, Frank Summers, Hugh Haggerty, John Thorn, R. M. Pearce, William Booth, John Simenson, W. I. Cannon, Ross Eckart, Mrs. Lang and three children, L. N. McQuesten, Henry McQuesten, E. Hestin, A. Metfield, Miss Falconer, A. Harper, wife, and seven children; Mary Karkaner, D. H. Henderson, Elmer McQuesten, M. Walker, R. Reeve, wife, and two children.

MINERS ARRIVE BY SCHOONER.

Eight Men Bring Out an Average of One Hundred and Fifty Ounces Each.

Port Townsend, Wash., Sept. 15.—The schooner Volante arrived this morning direct from St. Michael's. She brought eight passengers—R. W. Schreiber, J. S. Wall, B. J. Hayward, Alex. Wilson, Theodore M. Mitchell, John Parrott, James, Ayer, and Andrew Hoag. The men all left Dawson City Aug. 18, reached St. Michael's in eight days, and left for the sound Aug. 28. They brought with them an average of 150 ounces of gold each, the greatest amount, 184 ounces, being brought by J. S. Wall of Milwaukee. The smallest amount, 82 ounces, was brought by R. W. Schreiber of Crookston, Minn. The entire eight are jubilant at getting to a land where there is no danger of starvation.

R. W. Schreiber was in the country less than four months. He has two claims—one on Bonanza and the other on El Dorado—and will return in the spring.

HAS NO FEAR OF STARVATION.

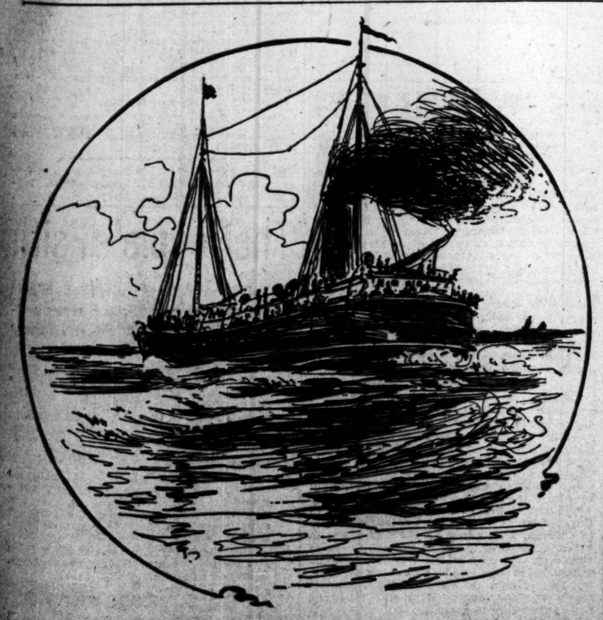
Frank Cryder Says Food Will Be Scarce, but Says Chief Danger Is Lack of Shelter.

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 15.—Hope for those who have friends in the Klondike is held out by Frank Cryder, who came down on the steamer Humboldt, after having spent five years in the Yukon. He does not believe there will be any deaths from starvation, though he admits that food will be scarce. Cryder says that lack of shelter is a more serious condition confronting the miners in the gold belt than starvation. He states that the closing of the company stores at Dawson was a temporary expedient, merely to prevent speculators from cornering all the provisions in the country and thereafter holding supplies at fabulous prices.

"It is not proposed to allow this," continued Cryder. "The miners have determined that any man selling food must do so at the company's prices. These are fixed and will not be allowed to go higher. Where so many people are together and can interchange food goes a long way. An outfit that would last one man a year can be made to hold out eighteen months by judicious trading. Do not understand that I am advising any one to go there this winter. I am simply stating these facts to encourage those who have friends in the North.

"Lack of shelter will, in my opinion, be responsible for more suffering in the Klondike than will famine. It costs $1,000 for a fair log cabin already built, and the time and labor in constructing a new one would amount to about the same. There were not over a hundred houses in Dawson when I left, while in the city were 3,000 people. In the gulches are being built huts to shelter those who labor in the mines. Where the newcomers, with light outfits and empty pockets, will lay their heads is an unsolved problem."

As to the mining outlook Cryder declared that $25,000,000 will be taken this winter from the claims on Bonanza and El Dorado Creeks, while from the Birch, Miller, and Munook districts will be washed about $200,000.



STEAMER EXCELSIOR, WHICH BRINGS BACK $1,000,000 IN GOLD.

WILL END SCHOOL STRIKE

COMPROMISE COMMITTEES OF BOARD AND COUNCIL AGREE.

Union Clause to Be Inserted in Contracts and the Matter Submitted to Judge Tuley Under Arbitration Law as to Its Legality—Status of Non-Union Men Causes Discussion—Present Mechanical Force to Be Retained Till After Decision.

The strike on Chicago school buildings is to be declared off. After a four hours' conference between the compromise committees of the Board of Education and the Building Trades Council last evening it was agreed to call off the strike. In return for this the representatives of the board promised to insert the union labor clause in contracts and submit it under the arbitration law to the decision of Judge M. F. Tuley as to its legality.

The agreement was signed by the entire membership of both committees. It will be reported to the Board of Education at the meeting next Wednesday night, and it is believed the board will ratify the compromise. The representatives of the Building Trades Council stated at their first conference on Monday afternoon that they had full power to act. According to the usual proceeding they will call a meeting of the Building Trades Council and lay the agreement before it.

As the question is largely one of union principles rather than of bread and butter, at the present stage, at least, it is believed the recommendations of the council committee will be adopted. The agreement will naturally not go into effect until after the meeting of the Board of Education.

Status of Non-Union Men.

The status of the non-union men now employed by the School board in the repair department appeared to cause more discussion than the main issue, which had been thrashed over and over again at previous meetings of the Board of Education and the Buildings and Grounds committee. There are seventy-five carpenters and thirteen painters on the pay-roll of the Board of Education. Of the former thirty-five are stated to be non-union men, and one painter is outside the pale, though he has stated his initiation fee is in the hands of the Painters' union.

P. F. Pettibone championed the cause of the board's employés. Some of them were fearful they would be sacrificed. They refused to quit work when the strike was ordered and are consequently not in accord with their unions.

Text of Agreement.

Following is the agreement:

"The Building Trades Council agrees if the Board of Education will insert a union labor clause similar to that adopted by the Board of Cook County Commissioners—to-wit: That all specifications attached to future contracts shall contain the following provision: 'None but union labor be employed on any part of the work where said work is classified under any existing union,' to call off the present strike and submit said clause, under the arbitration law, for adjudication as to its legality to his Honor Judge Tuley, so that in the future sympathetic strikes will not affect buildings in course of erection by said Board of Education. And it is further agreed between said Building Trades Council and the Board of Education that none but union workmen shall be employed and placed upon the pay-rolls of said Board of Education, provided the aforesaid Judge Tuley decides that the Board of Education can legally give the preference to union workmen."

Those Who Signed.

The board was represented by:

Thomas Gallagher, Graham H. Harris,
P. F. Pettibone, J. F. Keating,
Clayton Mark.

The committee signing for the Building Trades Council was composed of:

J. A. Long, Timothy Cruise,
J. M. Larkin, S. S. Vaughan.
Walter Carmody,

The Conference committees had a good deal of talk, without result, as to the reinstatement of employés fined or expelled by the unions for failure to take part in the strike. The union representatives would not consent to enter upon questions of internal policy. They maintained that all good mechanics, who stand by union principles, are upon an equal footing as to membership.

It will take nearly a month after the strike is declared off to complete the building and repair work under way.

Mr. Pettibone said it was understood the present mechanical force would be retained by the board until after Judge Tuley renders his decision at all events.

BULLETIN OF
The Daily Tribune.
CHICAGO, THURSDAY, SEPT. 16, 1897.

Weather for Chicago today:
Fair; decidedly cooler.
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Moon rises at 8:32 p. m.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

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LIVERPOOL		Rhynland.
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NEW YORK	Mongolian	Teutonic.
NEW YORK	Werra	Kensington.
NEW YORK	Persia	
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PANIC DUE TO FEVER

Yellow Jack Demoralizes the People of Jackson, Miss.

BUSINESS HOUSES CLOSING

Forty Cases at Edwards and Other Towns Affected.

MEDICAL MEN ARE ALARMED.

Newspapers at the Capital Suspend and People Flee Northward.

RIGID QUARANTINE IS ADOPTED.

Jackson, Miss., Sept. 15.—The State capital depopulated, its business houses closed, its newspapers suspended, forty cases of yellow fever announced at Edwards, with many suspected cases at various points, an embargo on the railroads of the State and grave apprehensions that the dread disease has obtained a foothold in numerous parts of the State, wild alarm everywhere—such are the conditions existing in the middle, western, and northern portions of the State today.

The worst fears of the medical fraternity and the public have been realized and the prevailing disease at Edwards has been pronounced yellow fever. The State Board of Health has laid a general embargo on travel, except out of the State, by means of an order promulgated this afternoon and addressed to all lines of transportation. Travel from infected places is absolutely barred. The bright side of the situation is that the disease is of a very mild type.

The exodus from this city, which began in a small way several days ago, has attained unprecedented proportions. The State board advises all who can to leave. The most rigid local quarantine prevails here.

Dr. Guiteras at Edwards.

Dr. Guiteras reached Edwards at 4:30 a. m. today, and, after investigation, sent the following message to the State board:

"I arrived this morning. Have visited a number of cases and the following are pronounced yellow fever: W. A. Montgomery, Fat Montgomery, Miss Anna Henry, T. H. W. Barrett, E. F. Suttle, Miss Mamie Austin, three miles out in the country; Mrs. Champion, Champion Hill."

The following is Dr. Guiteras' report to Surgeon General Wyman:

"The diagnosis of yellow fever, made in six cases by Dr. Purnell, is confirmed. He has two other cases that I have not yet seen. There are many children sick with what is probably a mild type of the disease. The cases are not confined to one locality, but are all traceable to the Anderson case, which came from Ocean Springs. The medium of distribution appears to have been the Champion case. Mr. Champion, who died, was a prominent man and many people congregated in the house during his illness. Dr. Purnell is immune, and I recommend as competent to take charge of situation if necessary."

Board of Health Order.

The following order was promulgated today by the State Board of Health:

"Vicksburg, Miss., Sept. 15.—All citizens of the State of Mississippi, railroad officials, and other transportation lines, and all newspapers:

"On account of the yellow fever at several places along the coast in this State and several cases of yellow fever at Edwards, Miss., and reported suspected cases at various points throughout the State, until further orders by this board no person will be allowed to get off trains or boats at any station or point in the State of Mississippi, and no freight, baggage, mail, or express is to be handled by the railroads or other transportation companies from infected places. No trains will be allowed to stop at infected places. Any person from non-infected communities, whose destination is beyond the State of Mississippi, will be allowed to board trains at all points not infected with yellow fever. Train crews running to or from places that are not infected by yellow fever will be allowed to get off at the terminals."

Yazoo City, Miss., has issued orders for a shotgun quarantine to be enforced. No trains are allowed to stop, except to exchange mails at the quarantine stations.

NEW CASES AT OCEAN SPRINGS.

Stormy Weather Has Served to Increase the Sickness on the Gulf Coast.

The stormy weather since Saturday has had the effect of increasing the number of cases at Ocean Springs. Conductor Johnson of the Louisville and Nashville was stricken today, together with three others. One new case was reported at Biloxi this morning. It is that of the Rev. C. F. Emery, pastor of the Methodist Church, making three in his family.

Biloxi now has forty-nine cases of sickness. Of these nineteen are yellow fever, six are suspicious, and a diagnosis as to

(Continued on fourth page.)

POLES WORST TWO "REDS"

BEAT AND PURSUE MEN WHO TEAR UP THE STARS AND STRIPES.

Strangers Denounce the Government Before a Crowd at Noble and Blackhawk Streets, Call Their Listeners Cowards, and Then Shred the American Flag—Enraged Auditors Attack Them and They Are Saved Only by Their Horse Running Away

Two men, supposed to be the emissaries of some anarchistic society, denounced the government, branded the Poles of Chicago as cringing cowards, and, as a climax, tore a small American flag to shreds at Blackhawk and Noble streets, last evening.

The result was a small sized riot, during which the supposed Anarchists were badly beaten. Had it not been for the fact that the horse attached to the light wagon from which they were speaking became frightened by the angry shouts of half a hundred Poles and ran away down Blackhawk street, the two men probably would have been dangerously injured, if not killed outright.

As it was, a crowd of infuriated men chased the runaway for several blocks, throwing stones and sticks at the half-unconscious and blood-covered men, who crouched in the bottom of the wagon, terrified and suffering from many wounds. The chase was lively while it lasted, but the horse soon tired out its pursuers and carried the two supposed Anarchists to safety.

Beginning of the Trouble.

It was shortly after 7 o'clock in the evening when a light road wagon in which were seated two men, evidently foreigners, stopped before the saloon of John Czekalla, Noble and Blackhawk streets.

The strangers wore their hair long and were dressed in long coats and slouch hats. Czekalla's saloon is frequented by the young men of the St. Stanilaus Catholic society, and at the time the two strangers appeared several young Poles were standing in front of the place in conversation.

"Why are you Poles standing idly here when the blood of your slaughtered comrades are calling loudly for your vengeance?" were the words that first attracted the attention of the group to the men in the wagon.

One of the pair was standing on the seat with his hat in his hand, and as the young men began to assemble around the wagon he continued his speech.

Denounce Government and Poles.

The government of the United States was denounced in extremely harsh language, capitalists were roundly abused, and finally the orator paid his respects to the Poles themselves, calling them cringing cowards, who feared to avenge their comrades.

"We are here tonight to urge you to be men," continued the speaker. "Never mind who we are or where we came from, but remember that those whom we represent expect us to report back to them that the young men of the Polish colony are men."

The speaker again launched forth in a violent tirade against the existing order of things and repeatedly urged his hearers to "Be men, and drop the pick for a few days and take up the gun and sword."

As the speaker grew more violent the crowd, now numbering a hundred or more men, began to show signs of indignation. Several times the speaker was warned to cease. Finally the climax was reached when the speaker's companion, who had up to this time remained quiet, jumped to his feet and yelled out:

"You are all cowards! Show me your brands and I will tell you whose cattle you are."

Tears Up the Flag.

With this the man picked up an American flag that lay in the bottom of the wagon, and waving it aloft cried out:

"Look at that rag, men; it's red is the blood of your fellow-countrymen. How can you look at it without going mad with thirst for vengeance? Look, this is the way in which every rag of this sort should be treated." With that the speaker and his companion began wildly tearing at the flag, throwing its shreds in the faces of their audience.

Mr. Czekalla, who had thus far been an interested watcher from the door of his saloon, made a rush for the two men as they began tearing the flag, and in an instant he was on the wagon. One blow from his big fist sent the nearest man down, while the second man fell almost before the crowd realized what had happened. A great cheer went up and the whole crowd made a rush for the wagon.

Men Are Badly Beaten.

Again and again the two erstwhile bold men were knocked down and beaten, all the while begging for mercy. No mercy was shown, however, and the crowd was just preparing to pull them out of the wagon when the horse suddenly became frightened and galloped away.

What was left of the flag was picked up, and is now in the care of Mr. Czekalla, who intends to keep it as a memento.

"We are not Anarchists over here," said he, "and we won't allow anybody to come over our way and tear up American flags. That sort of thing won't do, and whoever sent those fellows to work us up to the riot point made a mistake."

New Consul at Moscow.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 15.—The President today appointed Thomas Smith, New Jersey, to be Consul at Moscow, Russia, and Nolan L. Chew to be Assistant Register of the Treasury.

GOV. MOUNT'S QUICK ACTION.

Wires Sheriff Bushing to Bring Lynchers to Justice, Promising Him All the Power of the State—Deputy Attorney General Sent to Help.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—The quintuple lynching in Ripley County this morning and the report that other victims may be strung up tonight has aroused Governor Mount to a determination to bring the lynchers to justice. Regarding the case Governor Mount says:

"The reported lynching of five men who were incarcerated in the Ripley County jail fills me with inexpressible regret. As soon as I received information of the lamentable occurrence I telegraphed the Sheriff that the participants in the infamous outrage, the murderers of the five men awaiting trial, must be apprehended and brought to justice with the least possible delay. Such lawlessness must not be permitted to go unpunished. Whitecapism and mob violence must be stopped, and I shall vigorously use all the power of the executive authority of the State to that end."

The Governor sent the following message to Sheriff Bushing of Ripley County this morning:

"Wire me at once particulars of lynching reported to have occurred in your county. I further direct that you proceed immediately, with all the power you can command, to bring to justice all parties guilty of participation in the murder of the five men alleged to have been lynched. Such lawlessness is intolerable, and all the power of the State, if necessary, will be vigorously employed for the arrest and punishment of all parties implicated. JAMES A. MOUNT, Governor."

The Governor has received no answer to his message and a report from Versailles, the scene of the lynching, says there has been no call for troops and none is likely. Governor Mount, being dissatisfied with the failure of the Sheriff to reply, sent Deputy Attorney General Merrill Moores to the scene tonight to see that the law is enforced and collect evidence against the lynchers.

FIVE ROBBERS ARE LYNCHED IN INDIANA.

Members of the Notorious Levi Gang Are Taken from the Ripley County Jail by a Mob and Hanged to the Same Tree.

AFFAIR PERFECTLY PLANNED AND QUICKLY DONE.

Rockets Used as Signals for Scores of Determined Men in Waiting Outside of Versailles and They March Into Town in Military Order.

PEOPLE INFLAMED BY BOLDNESS AND CRUELTY OF GANG.

Tales of the Horrible Cruelties Practiced Upon Old and Defenseless People to Make Them Tell Where Their Money and Valuables Were Hidden.

FEARS THAT THE FRIENDS OF THE VICTIMS WILL BURN THE TOWN.

Versailles, Ind., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—A quintuple lynching, probably without a parallel in the remarkable manner it was planned and executed, took place here at an early hour this morning.

At 3 o'clock this morning there were found suspended from the bent limb of a small elm tree near the county jail five dangling forms that yesterday were human beings.

The Dead.

ANDREWS, BERT, aged 30.
GORDON, CLIFF, aged 21.
JENKINS, WILLIAM, aged 28.
LEVI, LYLE, aged 57.
SCHUTTER, HENRY, aged 24.

The story of last night's mob and its fearful work is the tale of the outrages against law and humanity that led to an act of summary vengeance wreaked by a long-vexed community upon the captured leaders of the notorious Levi gang. It was a terrible piece of work swiftly done that snuffed out the lives of these five men. Placed in jail after a hand-to-hand battle in which two of them were badly wounded, within twenty-four hours of their incarceration they were taken from jail after three of them had been shot to death in their cells, dragged to the grove, and hanged.

The five victims were all residents of Osgood, three miles away on the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern railway.

Versailles is very much excited and under a strong guard tonight. Marshal John E. Tyler, with a special guard of twenty-five deputies, is alert against any possible surprise, and every road running into town is picketed with wideawake men. This precaution is not taken in anticipation of a second visit by the regulators. The danger apprehended is from another quarter—the friends of the lynched. No private citizen of Versailles probably has reason to fear personal violence. The danger dreaded is arson.

There are rumors of threats on the part of friends of the men who were mobbed to even up matters by means of the torch. The buildings said to be marked for destruction are the jail and the courthouse. The public officers are also subjects of these threats. That is why this much disturbed little city is under closest guard tonight.

If trouble comes it is expected from Osgood, which, the people of Versailles say, is the headquarters of the band whose depredations have been so widespread, and which was the home of those who last night so ruthlessly rushed into eternity.

Feeling Is Bitter.

The feeling between the two places is of the bitterest and the opinions expressed here tonight are that there are plenty of others in Osgood who deserve the same fate of the five found dangling to the limbs this morning. Of the many hundreds seen today at the place, residents and visitors, not one was heard to express a word of condemnation of last night's sickening work. The people of Versailles declare that the lynchers were all non-residents and that not a man living in or near town had any hand in the slaughter. There is a general undercurrent of approval of the deed and it is a perfectly safe proposition that no effort will be made to apprehend any one who took part.

The Coroner's inquest begun today was conducted on lines of strict formality, and the verdict will be that the five men came to their death at the hands of a mob the members of which are unknown. And should this same mob conclude later, as there is some intimation it may, to extend its work of extermination to other residents of Osgood under suspicion of having alliance with the gang, there will be no protest from the people of Versailles. They do not express themselves as desiring such a continuation of hostilities, but they will not condemn it should it come.

Say Is Was Provoked.

They say it was made necessary by the many outrages and the persistency with which this organization of burglars prosecuted their trade of looting and the persecutions they practiced. No one seemed exempt, and the law, they say, was absolutely powerless to intimidate the members of the gang, whose ramifications were said to extend throughout all the adjacent counties, Osgood being the headquarters and center from which the work was done.

That is the deplorable situation in Ripley County tonight, and no man here is willing to prophesy where or when it will stop. Feeling just now is at a high pitch, and should the gang feel bold enough to make a move there will be a repetition of last night's scenes as soon as others of the suspects can be run down and caught. Meantime the tension remains, and, while all looks serene in the little village, not alone the pickets on patrol but all the citizens of Versailles are sleepless tonight in vague unrest, dreading they hardly know what, fearing that in somewise last night's horrors may be repeated ere tomorrow's dawn.

Story of the Mob's Work.

It was between 1 and 2 o'clock this morning that the mob made its appearance at the county jail. The jail building is three blocks from the courthouse, on the edge of the village. Because of its isolation the regulators had plenty of time to finish their work and get out of the village before the alarm was raised, and the knowledge that there had been a lynching—and a lynching, too, scarcely with a parallel—became general.

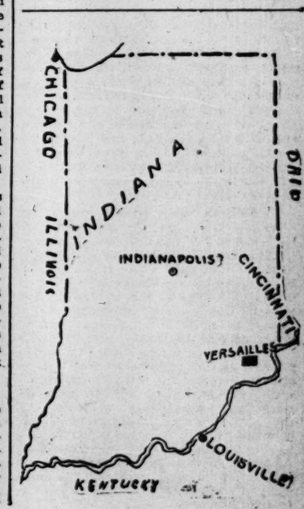
Most of the Versailles folk went to bed long before there was any indication of trouble, but a few who were up until about midnight saw evidence of the impending violence, though, of course, the significance of these signs became apparent after they had learned of the tragedy.

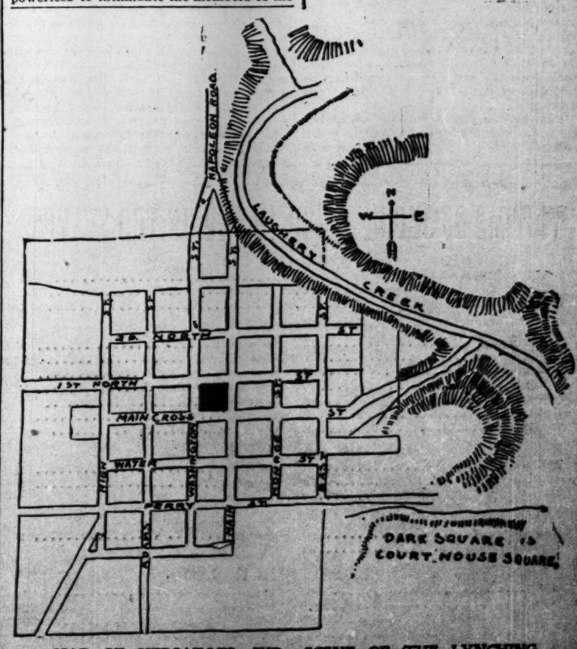
George Galvin, who is the Assistant District Attorney of the Sixth Judicial District, and who has charge of the criminal work of Ripley County, was one who noticed an unusual number of mysterious movements about town. Court had opened on Tuesday, and Attorney Galvin had remained in his office until 11:30 o'clock. He then started home with his law partner, Mr. Cornet. They had proceeded but a short distance when they noticed from five to eight men back in the shadows of an alley, about forty feet from the street.

Passed by Mounted Men.

Just before he reached home Mr. Galvin was passed by six mounted men, who rode away on what is called the tanglewood road thoroughfare, by which Osgood could be reached if one wished to avoid the pike. At the same time Mr. Galvin saw from six to ten men walking north about thirty yards from where he first saw the horsemen. Then Mr. Galvin went into his house and to bed and was soon asleep.

All through Tuesday night—or until mid-





MAP OF VERSAILLES, IND., SCENE OF THE LYNCHING.

night—there had been an unusual number of men on the streets of Versailles. They appeared to be doing patrol duty, for they marched about the courthouse square at regular intervals, and while a number of people heard their steady tread in the stillness of the night, and it is very still late at night in Versailles, yet singularly no one had his curiosity sufficiently aroused to attempt to discover who these silent sentinels were or what their purpose.

At 1 o'clock this morning a rocket pierced the sky from the south part of the town. There was just the noisy swish, and then silence, which was broken within a minute by the fiery swish of another skyrocket fired from the north end of the village—from beyond the Milan pike hill. These were signals for an advance on the jail, and, marching with military precision and four abreast, the main detachment of the mob came into the village over the Milan pike. The others from the south joined them near the jail.

Mob Numbers 300 or 400.

No one counted the mob, but the estimate of the less excited is that there were from 300 to 400.

Two hundred of these, it is asserted, came marching over the hill of the Milan pike, four abreast. It is more than likely that there were about 100 in the mob. The mob appeared to have sprung from the ground, and as silently disappeared after having completed its work. It did its work and dispersed.

The only point upon which all seem to agree is that the posse which attacked the jail and killed five of the prisoners therein contained were all from "foreign parts." There were none among the lawbreakers who live in Versailles.

Sheriff Henry Busching was not at the jail last night. Had he supposed for a moment that there was to be an attempt to take from him five of his seven prisoners there is no question in the mind of any one who has looked upon his face that he would have been on hand to answer to the mob's demands. He is a noble, fearless-looking fellow, this Sheriff Busching. His face is the embodiment of nerve and courage, and while his neighbors are expressing fears that the lynching is the beginning only, and not the end of the trouble, he smiles quietly, and while holding his wounded hand on a pillow says that he guesses he'll be on hand if they want any more. He fears neither the vengeance of the surviving members of the Levy gang, nor further violence on the part of those who the gang has goaded to desperation by its many acts of lawlessness.

Sheriff Not at Jail.

Sheriff Busching was not at the jail last night. Being wounded in a recent contact with the robbers who were lynched, he went to the home of his father-in-law and left Will E. Kenan in charge of the jail.

Now, while there was no suspicion that a mob would attack the jail, there must have been some sort of premonition about something, for Will Kenan not only had Will Black, an assistant, to give him help, but the services of John Bassett, Bob Bassett, and Lindley Winser were enlisted.

Kenan carried a lighted lamp in one hand as he went to the door. He had no sooner turned the key in the door than it was thrust open in his face, and he was looking along the streaks of moonlight which gleamed and glistened from the rifled barrels of six revolvers—one held in each hand of three masked men who crowded into the doorway.

Deputies Imprisoned.

There was no command of "Throw up your hands." None was needed. A less quick-witted person than Kenan would have appreciated the situation in a twinkling, and naturally Kenan did. His friend, Will Black, was with him, and the two were marched through to the jail part of the building and there thrown into cells after the mob had first taken all of the keys from them. The Deputy Sheriff was locked in one cell and Black in another, and then the masked posse went in search of its prey.

There were seven prisoners in the jail—four in the lower tier of cells, which open into a common hall, and the remaining three in the upper tier. Lyle Levi, the reputed head of the Levi gang; Henry Schutter Jr., and William Jenkins were in the lower cells, none of which was locked.

Kelly Is Spared.

The fourth prisoner down-stairs was Charles Kelly, a boy of 14, who had been arrested previous to the capture of the others for robbing the barber shop of George Trader at Osgood a week ago Monday. Kelly, it appears, went into this enterprise independent of the Levi gang, and to this fact he owes his life, although it appears to have been the original intention of the mob to number him among its victims, for six ropes were brought to the jail, and the unused one was found in the road between the jail and the scene of the hanging this morning. Kelly was the first of the prisoners noticed by the mob, and he had evidently been awakened by the noise as they entered. He was commanded to go into his cell, and in terror he fled into the compartment occupied by Schutter.

Struck Down with a Stool.

The mob followed him, and Schutter, who had awakened by this time, was commanded to throw up his hands. Instead he put his hands over his face in terror, and instantly he was struck on the head by a stool and dragged unconscious and perhaps dead out into the corridor and thrown on the floor. The cell of Levi was next entered and he was commanded to throw up his hands.

"I'll throw up my hands to no man," the prisoner stoutly replied, and the words had scarcely left his lips when the report of a revolver rang through the jail, awakening terror in the hearts of prisoners in the upper tier, who, up to that time, had but a confused idea of what was going on below. The first shot fired at Levi pierced his heart. As he fell another shot was fired, and striking him in the back, lodged in his abdomen.

Levi's dead body was thrown out in the corridor beside that of his fellow, and while some were adjusting nooses of two hemp ropes around the two lifeless necks others were beating the life from the body of William Jenkins. Jenkins' skull was fractured above the right ear, and after he had been dealt several blows his body was hurled out on the ghastly pile in the corridor.

Up to this time not a word had been spoken beyond the stentorian command of the mob's leader to "Throw up your hands." But as the corpse of Jenkins was laid alongside of the others some one in the party asked: "Have we got 'em all?"

"All we want," came the reply from one who was evidently already sickening of murder and butchery.

"There are more up-stairs," came from another lyncher, and after carrying the three lifeless victims out into the jail hall some of the mob took a lighted lamp from young Kelly, who was trembling and pale with fright, a fright which came near turning his reason, and which has not left him to this time.

A portion of the mob climbed the iron stairs to the upper tier of cells, where Bert Andrews and Clifford Gordon, the two wounded burglars, were lying on cots. These men had been shot in an encounter with Sheriff Busching and his deputies at Correct early on Sunday morning, and were clad only in their night shirts when the mob took possession of them. Ropes were adjusted around the neck of each, and they were dragged without ceremony and without delay to the hall, where the others were waiting with the three dead men with nooses around their necks.

Brutality of the Mob.

The mob showed its brutality in its handling of these two wounded prisoners. They were given no time, mercy, or consideration for their weak condition. When the ropes had been placed around their necks they were not given time to arise from their bunks, but were jerked off as one would pull a log from the water. Then, in the pell mell rush for the stairs these unhappy victims were dragged over the iron floor and down the iron stairs, head first, their skulls being bumped and pounded upon every step during the descent. Nor was this enough. There was no slackening of the ropes. Out of the jail, across the yard, into and down through the dust these victims were dragged, the nooses tightening with every step taken by their slayers, and life leaving the shot-riddled bodies as they were dragged through the thick dust—a dust which must have filled the mouth and nose and eyes and ears of the unhappy victims of this mob's blind fury.

Mob Is Methodical.

But while the mob was blind in its fury it was methodical and much given to attending to details. The jail emptied of its victims, the mob relocked the cells and considerately returned the keys to the Deputy Sheriff from whom they had been taken. Then the lynchers hurried on their way directly north from the jail to the overhanging cliffs over Laughery Creek, and stopped with their victims, all probably dead by this time, underneath a small elm tree.

The trunk of the tree is not larger around than an ordinary joint of stovepipe, but on it all five of the mob's victims were hanged.

Levi and Jenkins swung from a small limb over the west side of the wire fence with their feet brushing the cornstalks in the lot. On the east side and close to the trunk of the tree Bert Andrews was found hanging, the toes of his lifeless body almost touching the ground. On another limb on the same east side of the tree Schutter and Gordon, the latter with his neck dislocated, were hanging.

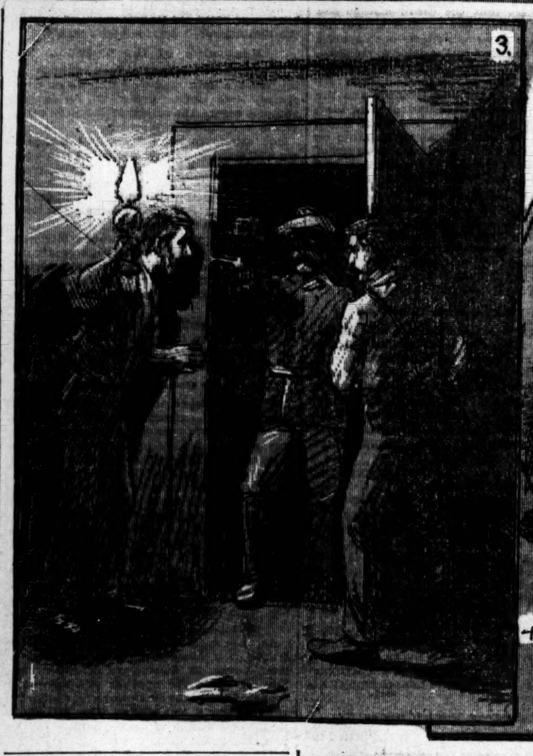
As soon as Deputy Sheriff Kenan escaped from the cell in which he had been locked by the mob he hurried to notify J. E. Taylor, the Town Marshal, of what had happened. It was 2:45 o'clock. Neighbors named Hendricks and Steinmetz were awakened and word was sent to Circuit Judge Willard New, the Sheriff, the County Prosecutor, and the Coroner. Marshal Taylor set a guard over the bodies until morning. When morning came the bodies were cut down and laid under a tent and notices sent to their relatives in Osgood. Later in the afternoon the bodies were carted across country to their former homes.

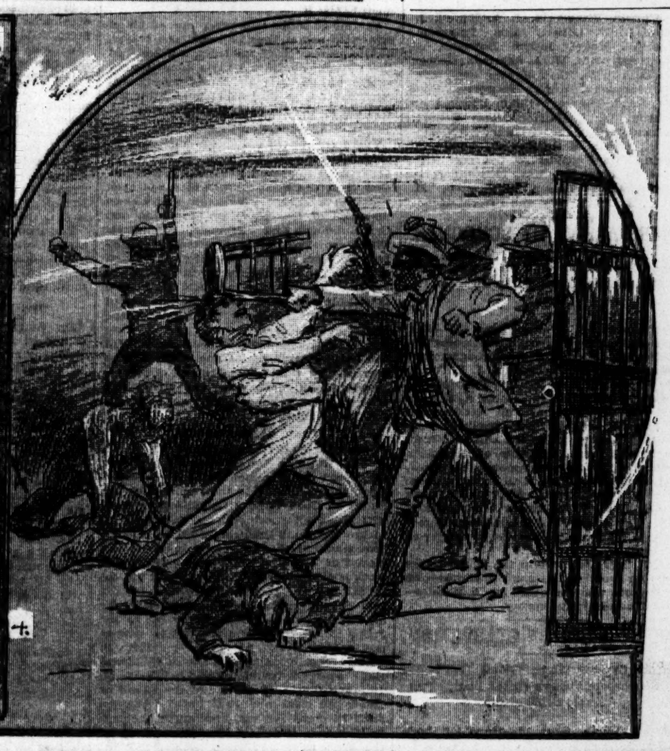
At the Coroner's inquest Chris Kelly and Arthur McMiller, the two prisoners whose lives had been spared, gave some incoherent testimony, but after viewing the bodies the Acting Coroner decided to continue the inquest until tomorrow.

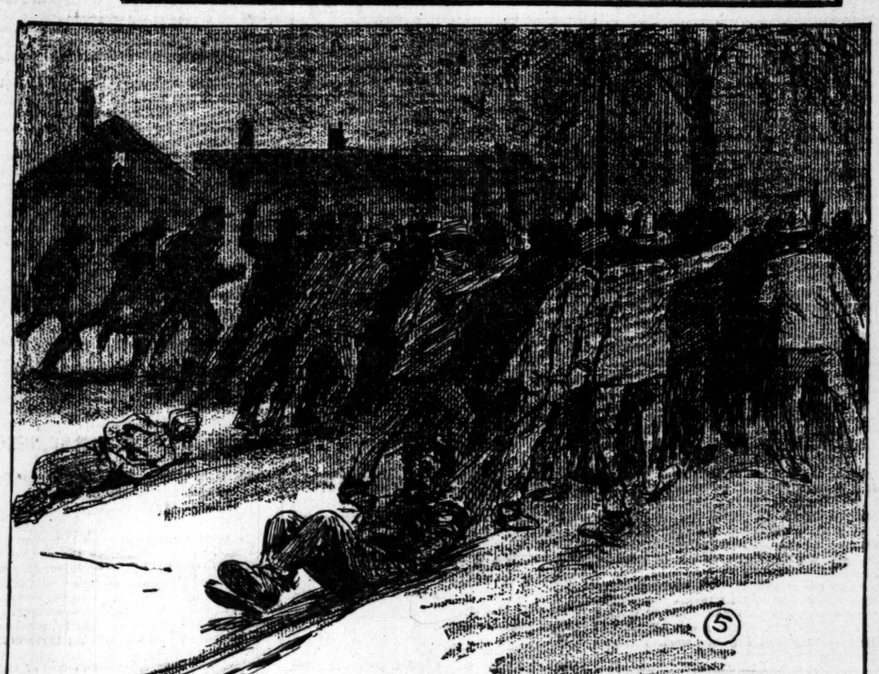
The keeper of the toll gate at the outskirts of Osgood knows considerable, it is believed, about the men who were in the mob, but refuses to say much. He was awake all night and saw many of the members of the mob as they passed through. He says they went by in buggies, wagons, carriages, carts, on foot, and on horseback.

SCENES AND INCIDENTS IN CONNECTION WITH THE QUINTUPLE LYNCHING AT VERSAILLES, IND.

1. Capture of the burglars. 2. Lynchers gathering outside of Versailles. 3. Demand for the keys of the jail. 4. Struggle in the jail. 5. Last chapter of the tragedy.







[The above are drawn from telegraphic accounts of the lynching.]

GRIEVANCES OF THE LYNCHERS.

Awful Work of the Levi Gang of Robbers—Torture Their Victims—Captured at Correct.

Versailles, Ind., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—Versailles is a town of some 800 people. It is one of the oldest in the State, and, although it is five miles from a railroad station and has no telegraphic communication with the outside world, as have more pretentious towns of the county, it is still the county seat. For four or five years, and even longer, the farmers of the county have been the victims of a lawless gang, who, apparently lacking in fear, have plied their vocation to the terror of the people, for they seem to have had no visible means of earning a living.

Farmers would come into town with a bunch of cattle or a load of farming products, and the next morning they would be found along the roadside suffering from a wound and minus the proceeds of their sale.

Old German farmers have been visited, and both men and women have been subjected to all the tortures that a hardened mind could suggest. Aged German women have been forced to stand upon a redhot stove in an effort to compel them to disclose the hiding place of some treasure in the house. These operations have continued unceasingly. Arrests have been made, but the guilty parties have covered up their lawlessness, and it is seldom that conviction followed.

Robbery of Wooley's Store.

During the last week robberies had increased alarmingly. On last Saturday word was received by the Sheriff that the store of Wooley Bros. at Correct, Ind., ten miles from here, was to be entered. The information was given by one of the gang's confederates, who had been under surveillance. Sheriff Henry Busching arranged that his informant should accompany them, and securing five deputies they went to the place. Sheriff Busching concealed himself in the cellar, while his deputies were stationed in a convenient distance outside. Shortly after midnight the gang reached Wooley Bros.' store. Clifford Gordon and the sheriff's informant were designated to break into the building. Gordon himself effected an entrance, and just as he stepped inside the Sheriff grabbed him. Both pulled pistols at the same time and began firing. Bert Andrews was with the robbers, and he too, joined in the fusillade, while the deputies came to the assistance of the Sheriff. Some thirty shots were fired. The Sheriff was shot through the hand, and Gordon was shot several times. Three pistol balls entered his body, and he was also shot in the leg. Gordon and Andrews succeeded in escaping and came to Osgood, where they were arrested.

The robbers had driven out to the place in a buggy belonging to Lyle Levi andn from information subsequently gathered it was learned that the robbery had been planned at the home of William Jenkins. The two latter were arrested as accessories. All were taken to the jail at Versailles.

While the citizens have not been able to fix the various robberies upon these men they were thought to be part of a gang that has committed a host of them. When it became known that they were in jail it was quietly suggested by the victims and sympathizers that "justice" be summarily dealt the prisoners.

There were more passengers than usual, but the gatekeeper says he thought nothing of it and took no notice of who the travelers were. He says he does not know a single one of them.

It developed here tonight that the proposed action of the mob was known here for some time. Not a few of the citizens have acknowledged having been advised and invited to join the movement. It is now conceded that it will be an easy matter to get at the identification of the members if an earnest effort be made.

At a late hour tonight Kelly was taken from the jail and lodged at the hotel under guard. After McMiller had been released Kelly was the sole occupant of the cell part of the jail. He is only 14 years old and the horrors of last night so preyed upon his mind that he was overcome by nervous fright and he begged piteously to be taken out for the night. The matter was referred to Circuit Judge New, who took pity on the boy and gave the desired order.

PEOPLE IN VERSAILLES TALK.

William Lockhart Heard All That Was Said and Recognized the Voice of the Leader.

Versailles, Ind., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—William Lockhart, who lives within a few rods of where the men were hanged, perhaps is posted more thoroughly on the occurrences than any other person not a member of the mob. From his front door, though it was very dark, he was able to discern the men moving about, and heard all that was said.

Lockhart was awakened by the sound of marching men. He got up and went to his bedroom window. All was quiet again, and he was about to return to bed when he saw a skyrocket shooting through the air from a northerly direction. This was followed by another, which went directly over the jail. These indicated the direction from which the men came. Lockhart listened a few moments and soon heard the disturbance at the jail. He said there were a number of shots fired, and he could plainly hear the cries of the prisoners.

When the noise had subsided he heard the command:

"Ready, forward march," which was given by a man whose voice he says he is sure he recognized. He would not, however, say who the man was.

He then heard the tramping of the marchers and saw the mob round up under the tree. There was not the slightest disturbance. The men appeared to know just what to do, and when and how to do it, and no time was lost. The same man who had given the previous order asked if all was in readiness. The answer was silently given, and the commander said: "One, two, three, up."

The only other words he heard fell from the lips of one of the dying men, which one is not known, but he cried: "O God, have pity. Can't I be saved?"

In less than fifteen minutes the men began retiring from the scene. They had left their vehicles and horses in the Cedar Creek bottoms, a short distance to the north, and together the men went in this direction. With a view to ascertain, if possible, which way the mob went, Mr. Lockhart went out into the yard and listened intently. He knew that if they went up the Milan pike he would hear them pass over the bridge a short distance away. He says they did not take this route, but went over the Devil's Elbow road. In order to reach their vehicles it was necessary for them to go down a steep embankment about 100 feet down.

Mr. Lockhart said the mob was decidedly quiet, and rigidly obeyed all orders given. He says they did not tarry a moment after the bodies had been hung in the air.

The tree upon which the men were hanged was on the division line between the farms of William White and Henry Smith, and is but a few rods from White's home and that of Lockhart.

As soon as Lockhart had satisfied himself that the mob had gone he went down-town and assisted in arousing the citizens, many of whom were already up.

William White, in front of whose house the mob, dragging its victims at the end of the ropes, passed, knew nothing of what had occurred until almost daylight. He had heard people moving about some time during the early morning hours, but heard no unusual disturbance, and did not get up.

E. L. Bruce, a young man who lives at Milan, but who is employed by a farmer in the neighborhood, was the first man on the scene after the departure of the mob. He was up when the shooting occurred and went at once to the jail. Securing a lantern he followed the trail by the blood and tracks in the dust made by the bodies of the men and arrived at the tree a few moments after the departure of the executors. When the faint rays of light from his lantern fell upon the dangling bodies he was almost frightened to death and started hurriedly to retreat. He was soon joined by Philip Ebel, the village hotel proprietor; John Dickerson, and Everett McBride, who were deputized to stand guard until daylight. As soon as Squire Lassing arrived they cut the bodies down.

A few hours after the bodies had been cut down curiosity seekers had all but completed the destruction of the tree. Piece by piece it was carried away until now nothing but the bare trunk is left standing. It was stripped of every leaf and twig and then the limbs were sawed off and cut up into small pieces. The bark was pealed off the trunk and even the posts of the wire fence near by were whittled up for relics. These and pieces of the ropes were soon scattered all over Ripley and adjoining counties. Some high prices were offered for pieces of the rope.

PINKERTON TELLS OF THE GANG.

Lyle Levi the Last of the Noted Reno Raiders—Big Crimes and Lynchings of This Band.

William Pinkerton, head of the Pinkerton Detective agency, probably is better acquainted with the history of the Reno gang Treasurer's safe at Magnolia, Ia., was robbed one night in May, 1867, and I happened to be a few miles away, and when ordered by my father to go to work on the case I jumped to Magnolia, arriving there only a day after the robbery.

Rogers' Clew Is a Winner.

"After a few hours' work I got a clew to work on. A wealthy land-owner named 'Mike' Rogers, who lived at Council Bluffs, thirty miles away, had carefully examined the safe a day or so before the raid was made. No one suspected him, but I followed the clew just the same. I soon learned that Rogers had been seen in company with three other men the night of the robbery, walking along the railroad tracks towards Magnolia. With my assistants we kept watch on Rogers' house, and the first night of the watch we saw Rogers and three men leave in a wagon.

"We were unable to follow them without being discovered, and so awaited their return. They returned towards morning, carrying with them a big bag, which seemed heavy. A few hours later the news was received that the Treasurer's office at Glenwood, a few miles south, had been robbed during the night of $11,000. I notified the County Sheriff of what we had seen, and we made a raid on the house, capturing all four of the men, who were attempting to burn the paper money, evidently knowing that they were being watched. We recovered several thousand dollars, and made four prisoners.

Escape on "All Fools' Day."

"Frank Reno, Al Sparks, and Miles Ogle, all members of the Reno gang, were Rogers' companions, and from bills and other booty found in the house we fixed all the recent robberies on them. They were locked up in the Glenwood jail and an extra guard had to be kept around the jail to prevent a lynching. On the 1st of April, 1868, the four prisoners wrote 'April fool' all over the jail walls and escaped, supposedly by the aid of outside accomplices.

"A month later a train was held up near Seymour and the express messenger killed while resisting, and $90,000 was stolen from the Adams Express company's safe.

"Myself and three or four other detectives were near the scene of the robbery and assisted in arresting four members of the gang, Gerald, Moore, Sparks, and Clinton, all of whom were caught redhanded, but the Reno boys escaped.

Two Lynchings the Result.

"The prisoners were turned over to the Sheriff, who started to the jail with them. He was met just outside of the town and the four prisoners were taken away from him and lynched by 200 citizens. Sim and Bill Reno found things pretty warm around Seymour and went in hiding in Indianapolis, where they were arrested by our men. Frank Reno and a pal escaped to Canada, where they were located and after a hard legal fight were extradited and brought back to the scene of the robbery. They were locked up in the jail at New Albany with Sim and Bill Reno and were awaiting trial on charge of murdering the express messenger and several other charges, when a mob of farmers broke down the jail doors one night and took the prisoners out and hanged them to telegraph poles.

"The other members of the gang held together and kept at their old tricks, but one by one were captured and sent to prison. Two others were lynched, some were killed while attempting robberies, and another died in prison."

PRESS OPINIONS ON LYNCHING.

Papers Unite in Condemning the Crime and Calling for Punishment of Mob.

Following are the editorial expressions of various papers on the lynching at Versailles, telegraphed THE TRIBUNE last night:

Indianapolis, Ind.

Journal—The tragedy in Ripley County is a humiliation to Indiana, but it should not be a surprise. It is no secret that scores of men will not return verdicts against marauders, either because they fear their vengeance or are in league with them. There is no safety for the most innocent when the enforcement of the laws is assumed by a mob, whether composed of the best citizens or of those who do not enjoy that distinction. There can be no defense for lynch law in Indiana.

Sentinel—Once more the State of Indiana is disgraced by the lawlessness of people who break the law for the purpose of punishing law-breaking. In the eyes of the law they are murderers. It is an outrage on every law-abiding citizen in Indiana.

Terre Haute, Ind.

Express—The point made by the London Times on the Hasleton affair that the United States need not go to Cuba to find atrocities was well taken. Indiana need not go to the Southern States for lynchings. We have them at home. The Versailles instance is the most atrocious of all. It is almost inconceivable that men should be lynched for no more serious cause.

Richmond, Ind.

Item—The crime of the mob was without mitigation or excuse. In the first place, the prisoners were not capital offenders; they were thieves, not murderers. Neither were they assaulters of women and, besides, they were already in the hands of the law, and there is no evidence that they would escape full punishment for their crimes.

Lafayette, Ind.

The Morning Journal will characterize the mob's action is a disgrace. It calls upon Governor Mount to bring the perpetrators of crime and violators of law to justice, demands the summary ousting of any officer who is not disposed to aid in bringing the lynchers to speedy trial, and declares that Indiana cannot afford to have it published to the world that it deals gently with those who take law into their own hands and who commit crime in the name of justice.

Evansville, Ind.

Courier—We must hunt down the anarchistic outlaws who took part in the lynching and mete out to them the full penalty of the law.

Fort Wayne, Ind.

Gazette—Indiana is disgraced and her fair name has received a stain that can never be wiped out. Lax administration of law and the disrespect that demagogues have cast on our courts are bearing fruit.

Cincinnati, O.

Commercial Tribune—It would merely be a waste of words to again declare that there is no possible excuse for such barbarism as was manifested at Versailles. The time for action has come, if action is ever to be taken to put a stop to lynching in this country. A murder is a murder still, whether it be done by three men or by 300, and in either event it is the duty of the State whose laws are set at defiance to apprehend, try, and duly punish the murderers.

Nashville, Tenn.

Banner—That was an outrageous lynching at Versailles, Ind. Burglary is an abhorrent crime, but Judge Lynch is not the person to try the offenders. This time the act of lynching five suspects took place north of Mason and Dixon's line. It will be interesting to note what Northern papers have to say about it.

Atlanta, Ga.

Constitution—In view of the character of this most remarkable display of recklessness and lawlessness the Constitution feels called on to refer the matter to those brethren of the North and West who have for years without fee or reward constituted themselves the critics and censors of the Southern people. We have observed heretofore that when a lynching occurs at the North or West, as the result of the crime which lynching is the penalty of in the South, the censors of our civilization and morals are discreetly silent. Their criticism and denunciation are sober and perfunctory, lacking the edge that is given to those which deal with the South. But here is a case that runs beyond all precedence in civilized communities, so far as we know. The Constitution may venture to say without condoning or excusing the crime of lynching in the South that the crime it has come to be the penalty is one that shocks nature and arouses an indignation that is as deep as human beings can feel. This is not an excuse for Southern lynchings, but it is an explanation. What explanation will the North make for the murder of five men for burglary after they had been arrested by the officers of the law? We pause for a reply.

St. Louis, Mo.

Globe-Democrat—It is one of the worst cases in the whole history of lynching and shows a murderous spirit that should be dealt with according to its terrible deed.

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VICTIMS OF JUDGE LYNCH IN THE UNITED STATES.

RECORD OF 1897.

Total number of cases in United States	109
Cases in Southern States	97
Cases in Northern States	11

IN THE SOUTH.

Alabama	13	Maryland	1
Arizona	1	Mississippi	10
Arkansas	6	Missouri	3
Florida	6	South Carolina	5
Georgia	10	Tennessee	7
Kentucky	5	Texas	19
Louisiana	8	Virginia	3

IN THE NORTH.

Alaska (no court)	1	Indiana	5
California	1	Nevada	1
Illinois (Mannheim case)	1		

RACE.

Negroes	84	Indians	2
Caucasians	21		

RECORD SINCE 1885.

1885	184	1891	192
1886	138	1892	235
1887	122	1893	200
1888	142	1894	190
1889	176	1895	171
1890	127	1896	131

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WEAVER ON THE FLY

Newspaper Promoter Gets Out of Britain in a Hurry.

MANY MOURN HIS GOING.

Annonnced He Would Start a Journal in London.

TALENT SENT FROM AMERICA

Sheriff Bobs Up After Lavish Entertaining on the Norma.

COMMODORE KNOWN IN GOTHAM.

[SPECIAL CABLE.]

London, Sept. 15.—[Copyright, 1897, by W. R. Hearst.]—Large numbers of people here, including many prominent journalists, are lamenting the disappearance from London of Commodore J. M. Weaver of New York, formerly of the Atlantic Yacht club. He created a sensation in London two months ago by announcing he was about to start a daily newspaper here on American lines, and had cabled to New York for ten star journalists.

Weaver put up at the Hotel Cecil, where he lived in extravagant style and made numerous acquaintances. He invited several large parties aboard his yacht, the big schooner Norma, anchored at Southampton, and there gave sumptuous dinners. There was a big crew aboard the yacht, and the common report about Southampton was that Weaver was a great American millionaire and transatlantic yachtsman. The size of his yacht and the lavish scale of his entertaining there impressed the London acquaintances of Weaver with the idea of his great wealth.

His scheme to start a daily paper in London was generally believed here, and steps were taken to organize a company, while many journalists applied to him for employment. To these he spoke confidently of the paper he was about to start, and roughly outlined some of his ideas, which showed he had some knowledge of the newspaper business. The first number was to make its appearance about the middle of September, and many London journalists have been looking for Weaver the last few days.

It now transpires that the yacht was seized by the Sheriff at Southampton for unpaid debts of Weaver, and held for several days. At the last moment Weaver was able to secure money to release the yacht from a young Englishman, and no sooner was the money paid than it put to sea.

Inquiries made about Weaver now indicate he is the man exposed in New York about a year ago for hiring big rooms at the Waldorf and organizing an extraordinary round-the-world yachting trip, which collapsed because Weaver could not pay the preliminary expenses. He had tried to engage Frank Stockton as the historian of the expedition for a big price, saying he would syndicate the stories in New York and Chicago papers. High-priced college professors were to be taken along to make scientific observations, while a complicated advertising scheme was to be worked on the voyage.

Weaver is 45 years old, with a heavy, long mustache, and dresses in the height of fashion.

TO END THE ENGINEERS' STRIKE.

William Mather Makes Proposals That Will Be Discussed by the Federation on Friday.

[SPECIAL CABLE.]

London, Sept. 15.—William Mather, an ex-member of the House of Commons, and managing partner of the great Salford iron works, has written to the Employers' federation and the Amalgamated Society of Engineers, making proposals to end the great strike in the engineering trades, which has now been in progress for over two months. Mr. Mather proposes a compromise based on forty-eight hours as a week's work, with a mutual agreement that the shifts shall work overtime. The Employers' federation will have the right to decide the question of the employment of machine tools and the labor connected therewith, and will undertake not to impair the trade unions, nor to exclude any engineer from employment because he belongs to the Amalgamated society. The Employers' federation will consider the proposals.

SAYS NICE THINGS OF KAISER.

Prince Henry of Prussia Makes a Speech at Launching of a New Battleship.

Wilhelmshaven, Sept. 15.—At the launching here yesterday of the new German ironclad Kaiser Wilhelm Der Zweite Prince Henry of Prussia made a speech, in the course of which apostrophizing the ship he said:

"The Emperor looking forward with a clear eye into the future labors indefatigably to secure for Germany and her people honor on the high seas. And verily, it is a high and noble aim. The Emperor's wish is to see the empire stand before the world in independent firmness, of unexcelled strength on land, and capable of defense at sea, through the German navy, of her rights and honor. The name you will henceforth bear is a name which is our battle-cry and our dying cry."

At the dinner which followed the launching of the battleship, Prince Henry of Prussia toasted Emperor William as the godfather of the ship, and also toasted Admiral von Knorr, whose silver wedding was celebrated yesterday.

CAUSE OF GUATEMALA'S WAR.

Rival Candidates for the Presidency Incite Their Followers to Revolt.

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 15.—A prominent Central American in this city has just received a letter from Guatemala written a few days prior to the breaking out of the revolution. It contains the information that D. Emilio Ubico and Palin D. Francisco Amado, two prominent men, were candidates for President in addition to Prospero Morales. The letter went on to state that Barrios has about completed his arrangements to have himself elected for a second term in spite of the constitutional prohibition, and it predicts that in the event of his success the friends of Morales, Ubico, and Amado will make serious trouble.

KAISER TO CALL ON VICTORIA.

Will Go to Marlborough Castle to Make a Private Visit to the Queen of England.

London, Sept. 15.—Truth says that since the return of Emperor William of Germany from Russia he has expressed a wish to visit Queen Victoria in the autumn, and will probably cross from Kiel to Aberdeen in the Imperial yacht Hohenzollern for the purpose of making a strictly private visit to her Majesty at Marlborough Castle. The Emperor, it is further stated, will remain her Majesty's guest for a few days and will return to Kiel direct.

BRITONS WIN TWO FORTS

GENERAL BIGGS' TROOPS RELIEVE LOCKHART AND GULISTAN.

Post at Saraghazi Also Retaken After a Savage Conflict with the Native Hordes—Massacre of the Garrison Partly Avenged — Field Guns Brought to Play on the Enemy with Deadly Effect—Movements Near the Khyber Pass.

[SPECIAL CABLE.]

Bombay, Sept. 15.—After withstanding an attack of the hottest character by an almost overwhelming force of rebel influence Forts Lockhart and Gulistan in the Samana range were relieved today by the British forces under General Biggs. The troops also recaptured the post at Saraghazi, which was taken by the tribesmen two days ago, when the entire garrison of the post was killed. The field guns which were brought into action have a range of 3,000 yards and were so effectively handled that they scattered the enemy with heavy losses. Fort Gulistan was hard beset when the reinforcements arrived. A large force of Afridis had advanced to within 400 yards of the fort. General Yeatman-Biggs left a regiment of Punjab infantry and two guns when at Fort Gulistan, when he returned to Fort Lockhart.

Later reports are that desultory fighting continues around Fort Lockhart and Fort Gulistan. The losses the natives have sustained probably will deter them from any bold, offensive movement against Samana. General Yeatman-Biggs will content himself with holding them in check, pending the start of Sir William Lockhart, commander of the Punjab frontier force, a fortnight hence with the punitive expedition to Tirah. He failed to outflank them in the Khen-Ki Valley, but his relief of the forts, together with the moral effect of the recapture of Saraghazi, is very important. As the Samana range is a good strategical position dominating the whole Orakzai territory to the west of Kohat, the Miranzai Valley is thus kept open, and with the enemy retreating to the northwest an important road to that point is opened.

Simla, Sept. 15.—Eighty-one Shinwaris, who formed part of the garrison of Fort Lundi-Kotel in Khyber Pass, and who were captured by the Afridis, have arrived at Jamrud with their rifles.

General Blood's column is steadily advancing through the Mohmands' country. The Haddah Mollah is reported to be at Gondab with a gathering of tribesmen.

General Elles' column of troops has reached the top of the Karpha defile, but the enemy has not been sighted in that direction.

The tribesmen did not oppose the advance of the troops under General Yeatman-Biggs, whose deadly artillery and Lee-Metford rifle fire sent them in full retreat.

STEAMER ETHIOPIA IS OVERDUE.

Believed That Her Delay Is Caused by Her Towing the Crippled Liner Circassia.

[SPECIAL CABLE.]

Glasgow, Sept. 15.—The Anchor line steamship Ethiopia, from New York Sept. 4, was due in the Clyde yesterday, but did not arrive. Its owners presume that its detention is due to the fact of it having picked up the disabled steamship Circassia, from New York Aug. 28 for this port, which was reported by the Danish steamship Island to have broken its shaft in midocean. It was towed 100 miles by that vessel on Sunday, Sept. 5, when the hawser parted on account of rough weather. It was sighted later by the Allan line steamship State of Nebraska. All of the Anchor line steamships are steering over the course in which the Circassia was last seen.

MRS. MAYBRICK MAY BE LET GO.

Revision of Sentence in Her Case to Be Discussed in Eighteen Months.

[SPECIAL CABLE.]

London, Sept. 15.—[Copyright, 1897, by W. R. Hearst.]—Baroness von Roques today visited her daughter, Mrs. Florence Maybrick, at Aylesbury prison, whom she is allowed to see for an hour once every three months. Mrs. Maybrick, under life sentence, has now abandoned her expectation of a remission of sentence until eighteen months hence, when she will have served ten years. Then it will come up for revision in regular course. Officials here think she will then be released. The Baroness found her daughter in good health today. She returns immediately to Rouen, where she resides.

M'KINLEY'S EYE IS ON SAMOA.

German Press Says the President Will Send a Warship to Impress the Islanders.

Berlin, Sept. 15.—The Vossische Zeitung says that President McKinley believes the Samoan Islands will be of great strategic, commercial, and political importance in the future and intends to send a man of war to Apia to prove to the Samoans that American interests are undiminished. The paper says that the President has given special instructions to the United States Consul to make a close inquiry into the Samoan treaty and the political affairs of the islands and then to submit to him a plan for altering and improving the treaty clauses with a view of restoring fully American influence, Mr. McKinley "being of the opinion that his predecessor left the administration of the islands too completely in the hands of Germany and England."

JOSE ANDRADE IS ELECTED.

Former Minister Is Chosen by Overwhelming Majority to Be President of Venezuela.

[SPECIAL CABLE.]

Caracas, Venezuela, Sept. 15.—[Copyright, 1897, by the Press Publishing Company, New York World.]—Returns from the Presidential elections in the various States of the republic show overwhelming majorities for José Andrade, the former Venezuelan Minister to the United States.

RUSSIA PROVIDES A RESERVE.

Ukase Declares That Gold on Hand Must Not Be Less than Half Amount of Notes.

[SPECIAL CABLE.]

St. Petersburg, Sept. 15.—An imperial ukase was issued today declaring that the gold reserve against the issue of credit notes must not be less than half the total amount of such notes, provided that the notes outstanding shall not exceed 600,000,000 rubles, above which amount every ruble must be fully covered.

Handy Arrives at Paris.

Paris, Sept. 15.—Major Moses P. Handy, the special commissioner of the United State to the Paris exposition of 1900, has arrived here and has had a long interview with M. Boucher, the Minister of Commerce and Industry.

Copious Rains in India.

[SPECIAL CABLE.]

London, Sept. 15.—A dispatch to the Times from Simla says that splendid rains have fallen during the last few days over a wide area. In the Punjab particularly the rainfall has amounted to several inches. This assures a bounteous harvest.

Rupture cured—$100 if fail to hold. Dr. Parker, 59 State-st., Chicago. 30 years' experience.

ON TO HAVANA NOW.

Gomez Pushes the Campaign in Eastern Cuba.

RAIDING IN SANTA CLARA.

Placetas Partly Laid in Ruins by the Insurgents.

WELL ARMED AND SANGUINE

[SPECIAL CABLE.]

Key West, Fla., Sept. 15.—General Gomez has attacked and partly destroyed the district Town of Placetas, Santa Clara Province, and this, with the capture of Tunas Garira, has caused all the war interest to center in the eastern provinces. It now is certain that the insurgent forces have been well supplied with arms and ammunition by many of the expeditions that landed during the summer, and that they soon will begin an aggressive campaign in the east, which surely will spread like contagion until it enguifs Havana.

Havana has been astir all the week and troops are being shoved to the eastern end of the island by every kind of craft. Weak and emaciated sicklings just out of hospitals are being sent to service in the hardest section of the island to fight in. Weyler's stir is due to the imperative demand from his home government that he satisfactorily explain the loss of Tunas. Instead of giving an explanation he will attempt to recapture the town. He will find, however, only a mass of ashes, as the insurgents have destroyed Tunas and evacuated it.

Weyler is taking from Havana eight battalions of 1,500 men each, many of them physically unfit for service. They are supplied in many cases with Remington rifles and the brass tipped cartridges.

From Tunas complete details have been received. The town surrendered on Aug. 30. Twenty-two forts and cartels capitulated and the military commandant, three officers, and ninety-one soldiers surrendered and were sent to Holguin. Many joined the insurgents during the attack. Two cannon in the town were destroyed. Forty guerrillas were hanged for implication in hospital atrocities.

Weyler will not leave for Tunas until the last of the troops have been forwarded.

The latest dispatches from Placetas confirm the statement that the town has been attacked and partly destroyed by Gomez, but the details are not obtainable. Carrillo, with an American artillery force, kept up a continued fire for a long while, reducing part of the town to ruins. Placetas is one of the largest and most important towns in Santa Clara Province.

TAYLOR QUITS SAN SEBASTIAN.

Ex-Minister Escorted to the Train by Foreign Ministers—Comment of the Newspapers.

[SPECIAL CABLE.]

San Sebastian, Sept. 15.—[Copyright, 1897, by W. R. Hearst.]—Hannis Taylor, retiring Minister to Spain, left San Sebastian on the way to New York via London this afternoon. He was accompanied to the train by the Foreign Minister, Duke of Tetuan, Sir Henry Drummond Wolff, the British Ambassador, and Minister Woodford and other members of the United States Legation.

El Heraldo of Madrid, one of the great newspapers of Spain, always bitter toward the United States, referring to Taylor's departure, declares that he has "delivered the flag and sword of the toreador to Minister Woodford," and adds: "Mr. Taylor will depart satisfied, considering that his diplomatic career has been one of the most brilliant that could have been made by the representative of his country under very exceptional circumstances surrounding the relations between the United States and Spain."

El Imparcial says: "He is a diplomat who returns victorious after four years of incessant fighting with our government." It adds that Mr. Taylor returns hurriedly to Washington to inform the President of the actual conditions existing in Spain with regard to the United States and Cuba.

Spain Sends Troops to Cuba.

[SPECIAL CABLE.]

Madrid, Sept. 15.—The government is concentrating a force of 6,000 troops, destined for Cuba, where they will be sent immediately.

DETAILS OF THE ALLIANCE.

France and Russia Make Important Amendments to the Original Military Compact.

London, Sept. 16.—The Paris correspondent of the Daily News says: "I lear that the day before the Cornstadt toast (during the recent visit of M. Faure to St. Petersburg) the Franco-Russian military convention already existing was amended. Two articles were added and a protocol arranged on Eastern affairs.

"The orninal convention gave France security against German invasion in return for French support of Russia in the Levant, and, in certain contingencies, naval assistance in the Baltic. Under the amended convention, if France should be attacked Russia will consider the treaty of Frankfort non-existent.

"The French government clinched nothing until the Prince of Naples attended the review at Metz on the anniversary of the fall of Sedan. The advantage of the convention and the protocol is that they do not come within the ratification clause of the French constitution. They can, however, be turned into a treaty at any moment.

"I cannot ascertain the clauses of the protocol, but it is an open secret that France and Russia have combined to prevent the Sultan from entering into a military alliance with Germany to the exclusion of the other powers."

TERMS OF PEACE AGREED UPON.

Greece Must Pay Turks Four Million Pounds—Thessaly Is to Be Evacuated.

[SPECIAL CABLE.]

Constantinople, Sept. 15.—It is reported that the text of the revised treaty of peace fixes the indemnity to be paid by Greece to Turkey at 4,000,000 pounds. It is provided that the state of war shall cease as soon as the preliminary act is signed, that the evacuation of Thessaly by Turkish troops shall take place a month after the powers shall have recognized the treaty, and that an international commission shall be established at Athens to control the indemnity loan and other State debts.

Laymen Want More Power.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—Methodist laymen of the Indiana State organization today took steps for bringing a national meeting of laymen to this city, where the movement for equal representation in the General Conference was first begun.

General Miles Sees French Troops.

Paris, Sept. 15.—General Nelson A. Miles, U. S. A., attended the review of troops held at St. Quentin in honor of the King of Siam, and at which President Faure was present. The General greatly admired the French soldiery.

LABOR'S NEW PLANKS.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY THE ILLINOIS FEDERATION.

Radicals Work Hard in the Convention and Make Their Presence Felt —Injunction Theory Denounced—Free Silver Coinage at 16 to 1 Is Indorsed—Government Ownership of Railroads and Other Conveniences Is Favored.

Bloomington, Ill., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—The second day's session of the convention of the Illinois Federation of Labor was a continuation of the fight between the conservative and radical elements. The radical resolutions on the killing of striking miners in Pennsylvania, which were sent to committee yesterday, have not been reported back. The conservative resolutions introduced by Delegate O'Brien of Chicago were sidetracked today and the following substitute adopted after a two hours' debate:

Resolved, That the Illinois State Federation of Labor, in convention assembled, declare its unreserved and unqualified fealty to the trades union form of organization and the trades union movement; that we hold the trades union movement as paramount to any other in the struggle for labor's amelioration and emancipation.

The discussion bristled with radical expressions and strong denunciations.

In defense of his anti-anarchistic resolution Mr. O'Brien said: "The speeches of pestiferous agitators, such as have been heard here, are fast destroying the trades union movement."

Delegate Woodberry of Chicago took the radical side. He said trade unionists should have no quarrel with Socialists and Anarchists, as all were working together up to a certain point. He strongly commended socialistic theories and declared the trades union movement was rapidly drifting toward broader grounds. He said it was wrong to publish the idea that any quarrel exists between Anarchists, Socialists, and trade unionists.

Text of New Planks.

The new planks were finally adopted as follows:

First—The government ownership of all railroads, mines, telegraphs, and telephones.

Second—The municipal ownership and control of all the public conveniences which become a necessity by reason of the centralization of poulation—namely: street railroads, water works, gas and electric light plants.

Third—The abolition of government by injunction.

Fourth—The restriction of all unnecessary immigration.

Fifth—We favor the establishment of the initiative and referendum system of government.

Sixth—The free and unlimited coinage of silver at a ratio of 16 to 1.

Seventh—We demand that the General Assembly shall enact a new revenue law which shall provide such revenue as may be necessary for State government by levying a tax on land valuation.

Eighth—We demand the passage of an employers' liability act.

An attempt was made to defeat the free silver plank on the ground that it savored strongly of political jobbery, but to no avail. The Committee on Resolutions made a partial report. The resolution in favor of free text books, calling on the next State Legislature to submit the question to a vote of the people, was adopted.

Postal Savings Bank Debate.

A postal savings bank resolution submitted by T. J. O'Brien caused considerable discussion. Mr. O'Brien spoke at length in favor of the propcsed government system and told the history of some seventeen former attempts to force similar legislation through Congress.

Delegate Woodberry of Chicago spoke in opposition to the resolution. He assumed a connection between the resolutions and a bill backed by a Chicago morning paper, and declared the bill defective and a menace to the end desired. He also attacked the bill on the ground that postal savings banks under the proposed system would prove an "expensive luxury." The resolution was finally adopted. Resolutions were adopted declaring a boycott on all publications and school supplies bearing the imprint of the publishing firm of Donahue & Henneberry of Chicago. The union label adopted by the Bricklayers' National Alliance was indorsed.

J. H. Payn introduced resolutions charging the Chicago Civil Service board with furnishing non-union men to fill the places of union strikers, including the following:

Resolved, That the State Federation of Labor, representing 350,000 organized toilers, calls upon the City Council of Chicago to pass an ordinance prohibiting the Civil Service board from furnishing workmen to take the places of those who are forced to strike to attain living wages, to better conditions of labor.

At the request of the Building Trades' Council of Chicago Delegate McCarthy secured the indorsement of a resolution denouncing the Chicago Board of Education for its refusal to insert the "union labor" clause in all contracts.

TROOPS REMAIN AT HAZLETON.

No Change in the Situation, but the Military Is Not Allowed to Leave.

Hazleton, Pa., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—The strike situation is unchanged tonight and no word has been received at brigade headquarters of trouble at any of the mines or of more men stopping work. General Gobin does not expect any trouble, but is holding several detachments of cavalry close by to proceed at the word of command. He is still in close communication with all the mines, and is being kept fully informed of the details of all the miners' meetings.

At 9 o'clock this morning the Fourth Regiment, which has been stationed at Audenreid since Saturday, was given orders to proceed to Eckley at once. The regiment was taken to Freeland on a special train and marched from that point to Eckley.

The work of collecting evidence for the inquest is already being prosecuted by the strikers' representatives and others, including the Coroner. Dr. Thodorovich, Secretary of the Austro-Hungarian Consulate, Philadelphia, visited the hospital and took the statements of the injured. He asked one of the wounded Hugarians if the mob ran when the deputies commenced to fire.

"Ran like the mischief," was the reply.

Dr. Thodorovich was asked whether he had read Sheriff Martin's statement that two of the strikers had revolvers and threatened the Sheriff's life.

"Not speaking in my official capacity," said Dr. Thodorovich, "I will say that from the conversation I have had with the men who saw the Sheriff's deputies shoot the miners, I am of the opinion that the Sheriff is mistaken. I know that when the striking miners were about to start from Harwood some of them carried canes. The leaders told these men that they must throw these canes away, and this order was strictly complied with."

PITTSBURG MINERS GO TO WORK

Strikers in Convention Decide to Disregard the Limit of Ten Days.

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—The convention of the striking miners of the Pittsburg district today decided to break away from the ten-day limit adopted by the Columbus convention and allow all miners to go to work at once. Tonight there is great rejoicing in the mining hamlets of western Pennsylvania. Nearly 100 strikers at the Turtle Creek mines returned to work today.

INQUIRY BY ITALIAN CONSULS.

They Are Instructed to Ascertain if Any of Their Countrymen Perished at Hazleton.

[SPECIAL CABLE.]

Rome, Sept. 15.—[Copyright, 1897, by W. R. Hearst.]—The semi-official Agenzi Libera says the government has instructed the Italian Consuls in the United States to ascertain if any Italians were among the Hazleton victims, and has further ordered them to act in accord with the Austrian representatives.

FIGHT ON TAMMANY.

Silver Democrats to Name an Opposition Ticket.

HILL'S MAN FOR JUDGE.

Purroy Is Expelled from the State Committee.

SUPPORT OF LOW CAUSES IT.

New York, Sept. 15.—[Special.]—The Democratic State committee met today in secret session in the Hoffman House, ruled by former Senator Hill, who was absent; by Senator Murphy, who was present; and the Tammany chieftains, who were out in full force. This is what the committee did:

Nominated Judge Alton B. Parker of Kingston for Chief Justice of the Court of Appeals. He is the only State officer on the ticket this year, and no convention will be held. Expelled Henry D. Purroy, County Clerk of New York and former Tammany leader, from his membership in the committee for denouncing Tammany, setting up a new organization, and declaring that he would support Seth Low. Dodged the whole silver issue and ignored the demands of free silver Democrats for an indorsement of the Chicago platform upon the pretext that the State committee has no power to act on the question.

He Is Hill's Friend.

The nomination of Judge Parker was quickly made. The candidate for the highest judicial position in the State was named at the behest of David B. Hill and Boss McLaughlin of Brooklyn.

"He is Hill's friend," was the word passed around.

Then came the dramatic expulsion of Purroy at the hands of Tammany. He had insulted John C. Sheehan. He had declared himself against the rulers of the wigwam and he had formed an opposition faction.

The session was dramatic. Traitor he was called. Tom Grady, Tammany's orator, launched his bitterest, most vindictive epithets at him. The big County Clerk sat in the room and heard them all. A few sarcastic side remarks were all that escaped him. Only four out of the fifty members sided with him, and on the announcement of the vote he left the place.

A delegation of earnest supporters of the Chicago platform and the silver issue demanded of the committee a reaffirming of the principles of the Bryanites. There were speeches, all by the visiting delegation. The committee listened in silence. The delegation went away and the committee remained silent. Chicago platform and free silver were a dead issue to it. The men of the Progressive Domocratic league, the Young Democracy, and the other followers of Bryan met in another hotel, disputing among themselves, and finally decided to nominate a regular Democratic and silver candidate for Mayor in opposition to Tammany's nominee.

Platt Men Jubilant.

Among the Republicans there is considerable jubilation over what they consider the overthrow and defeat of Jacob Worth in the Kings County committee meeting last night. Lieutenant Governor Woodruff, who conducted the fight for Platt in Kings, received the following telegram from the Senator, who is in Washington:

"Timothy L. Woodruff: It was a famous victory. Accept my hearty felicitations. 'The whippersnapper' seems to have got there. T. C. PLATT."

The word "whippersnapper" was applied by Jacob Worth to Lieutenant Governor Woodruff when he took charge of the campaign for Platt. This explains the reference.

Word received from Washington says the result of Senator Platt's visit to President McKinley is that the President favors Platt and will consult him on appointments, but will not openly oppose the Citizens' union. It was also said today the Republicans were looking for a "big" man to run for Mayor, a much bigger man than District Attorney Olcott.

Seth Low returned to town today, but refused to be interviewed.

All the women in Greater New York will be called on soon to take part in the campaign for the election of Seth Low.

Mrs. Josephine Shaw Lowell is looked to as the leader of the women's movement. During the city campaign of two years ago the Women's Municipal league was the organization which controlled the work of the independent women. Mrs. Lowell was the President of the organization. Mrs. Lowell early last spring began to work for Mr. Low's nomination and secured many signatures to the petition.

Mrs. Lowell said today: "I believe Mr. Low will be elected, but that there must be hard work done to secure that result.

"The work of the women will be almost exclusively educational. We shall try to inform women on the issues of the campaign so thoroughly that they will appreciate the necessity for exerting all their influence in their own families and among personal friends to make votes for Mr. Low."

MAYOR HARRISON IN NEW YORK.

Is Greatly Pleased with the Big Garbage Reduction Plant at Barren Island.

New York, Sept. 15.—[Special.]—Mayor Carter H. Harrison of Chicago had a pleasant and instructive outing today. He came here on a strictly business trip, one which he hopes will result in improving the sanitary condition of his great lakeside city.

Attired in a modest plaid suit of dark material and looking the picture of health, Mayor Harrison, accompanied by Commissioner of Public Works L. E. McGann, and John Fitzsimmons, Superintendent of Streets and Alleys, left the Windsor Hotel soon after 10 o'clock, piloted by Chief Expert Craven of the Department of Street Cleaning, and proceeded to Carnarsie, taking the boat from there direct to Barren Island.

A pleasant hour's sail down Jamaica Bay brought them to the wharf.

The party was taken on shore and shown the various garbage consuming plants. The one that most interested Mayor Harrison and his friends was that of the Sanitary Utilization company, by which much of the city's refuse is being converted into fertilizers. The great vats, and the various apparatus used in the work, were minutely inspected by the visitors, who seemed to be much pleased with the system.

Asked what he thought of the plant, Mayor Harrison said: "The system is practically the same as that used in Philadelphia, and I do not see anything novel in it. One thing I see that is not as it should be, but which is being corrected, is the emptying of the foul water into the bay from the digester. That would never do with us in Chicago, for the city drinking water would soon become contaminated."

From Mayor Harrison's observations so far, he says, he finds the same general plan in vogue at all the places he has visited. The garbage is put in the receiver and it is not seen again until it comes out grease or fertilizer. The plan is a good one, he says, because there is no odor except when the garbage is being put in the receiver.

FINAL TRIAL OF THE DUPONT.

Satisfactory Test of the New Torpedo Boat, Which Is Ready for Commission.

Newport, R. I., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—The torpedo boat Dupont had today what will prove in all probability to be her final trial, except, of course, the test which all government vessels are given six months after they have been in active service.

Today there was no attempt to push the boat, as the department had given special orders to the contrary. The trial, in fact, was simply one to assure the officials that she could maintain her vacuum while being speeded for at least an hour. A vacuum of about twenty-three inches was attained; hence those aboard were pleased with the showing, and it is anticipated that orders will be received shortly to place her in commission.

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MARRIES HIS DIVORCED WIFE.

Young Matthew S. Borden, Son of the Millionaire, Returns to His First Love.

New Haven, Conn., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—Two years in Europe were not enough to keep Matthew S. Borden, Yale, '94, from running away with the New Haven shopgirl he loved and had once before married. He is the son of the multi-millionaire Fall River cotton manufacturer, who has since leaving Fall River made another fortune in the condensed milk business in Chicago and New York, and young Borden's escapade with the same girl cost his father $15,000 in 1895.

The young man became infatuated with Mildred Negbauer, daughter of a New Haven merchant tailor, during his course at Yale, and married her in that year. The event happened at the New London boat race between Yale and Harvard, Borden taking the young lady to the event and proposing marriage. While there they were wedded, Borden thus celebrating Yale's victory. When Papa Borden heard of the event he fumed and rushed to New Haven. He offered to settle and did so, agreeing to defray his son's and wife's expenses in South Dakota while she was waiting for a divorce to be obtained, and to give her $12,000 clean cash besides. She accepted and the divorce was forthcoming.

Since her return she has cut a wide swath in this city, buying the residence of Professor Hall of Yale, and blossoming out like a social butterfly. Mat Borden was sent to Europe with Professor Tracy Peck of Yale, head of the Latin department. He has remained there over two years, coming home last year, and entering a Chicago medical college. This fall he came East to enter a New York medical school, and two weeks ago ran up from the metropolis just to see "Millie" once more. She was waiting for him, and after enjoying a reunion of three days she returned to New York with him. A close friend of the girl claims to have definite information that she is married to him again. Julius Negbauer, the girl's father, admitted tonight that he expected that they were married, but that he had no definite information to that effect.

Nettlehorst's Widow Is Insane.

Mrs. Elizabeth Nettlehorst, 457 Cleveland avenue, was declared insane yesterday in the County Court and taken to Kankakee Asylum for treatment. The unfortunate woman is the widow of Louis Nettlehorst, the German philanthropist, who died in 1893. Mrs. Nettlehorst was born in Germany forty-five years ago. Yesterday it was related that her mind began to fail four months ago. Hopes are held out for her recovery.

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Boston	85	35	.708	Chicago	53	68	.438
New York	70	42	.644	Pittsburg	52	67	.437
Cincinnati	67	50	.573	Philadelphia	51	69	.425
Cleveland	60	59	.504	Louisville	51	71	.418
Washington	35	83	.466	St. Louis	27	92	.227

Yesterday's Games.

Baltimore, 13; Chicago, 2.
Boston, 9; Philadelphia, 1.
New York, 19; Brooklyn, 4.
Louisville, 4; Pittsburg, 2.
Pittsburg, 8; Louisville, 2.

Games Today.

New York at Boston.
Philadelphia at Baltimore.
Washington at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at Cleveland.
St. Louis at Pittsburg.

EASTERN TRIP DISASTROUS.

Twenty-one Defeats, Ten Victories, and Four Ties the Record.

Baltimore, Md., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—For the ninth time this season the Colts were whipped by Hanlon's men. Fifteen games have been played. Three were draws, three victories, the rest went to swell the champions' pennant percentage. Today timely hits earned for them the glory, and the score was 13 to 2.

How timely the hitting was may be judged from the fact that of the many men who reached Ansonville only four were left on the bases. At the outset Anson's aggregation went after Pitcher Corbett hammes and tongs. Up to the fourth round they landed hard and often. He came up smiling in the fifth, and remained master of the situation even to the end.

Brilliant playing robbed the Colts of glorious chances at the start. Keeler came in fast and gobbled Ryan's fly. Callahan hit safe, but Kelley came forward in a furious sprint, backed up Lange's fly, and by a great throw doubled Callahan.

With two out in the Orioles' half Kelley bunted safely. Stenzel singled, Doyle hit to center, and Griffith interfered with Lange's throw to the plate, then dropped the ball, and all were safe. Reitz hit for two bases. The three runs were earned.

Connor drew a base in the second and was forced by Hernan, who stole. McCormick caromed a fierce grounder off Jennings' legs and took second when Hernan scored on the low throw to the plate. Kittridge tipped out a single, sending home the second run.

Trouble came again with two out in the second. Keeler started it by beating out an infield hit. Jennings singled to right. Ryan threw to third. The ball jumped over McCormick, and Keeler counted.

Hernan beat a perfect bunt to open the fourth, but after McCormick had perished and Keeler had robbed "Kit" of a triple by a great catch he was called out by McDonald in a close finish while stealing. Ryan hit safely in the fifth, but, after being signaled to hit, Callahan let the ball pass and Ryan was caught.

Keeler led the fifth with a safe hit. Jennings got hit. Kelley sacrificed. Stenzel singled to left, and Jennings was cut down at the plate by quick throws by Hernan and McCormick. McDonald called him safe. Doyle hit for two bases, sending Stenzel up to the plate. Griffith made a single, signaling home. Stenzel's single and Reitz's two-baser against the fence earned the ninth tally for Hanlon's hoodlums in the seventh.

A hit by Robinson, Corbett's safe bunt, Keeler's out, Jennings' hit and steal, Kelley's hit, Stenzel's force and steal, and Doyle's hit brought the Orioles' majority up to the unlucky thirteen in the eighth.

The disastrous Eastern invasion is at an end. The Colts have fared ill since the march toward the rising sun commenced: In these five weeks they have strewn twenty-one defeats, ten victories, and four ties around the circuit. Score:

BALTIMORE.

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E	SB	SO	BB	HB	LB
Keeler, rf	4	2	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Jennings, ss	4	2	2	2	6	1	1	0	0	0	1
Kelley, lf	4	1	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stenzel, cf	4	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Doyle, 1b	4	2	2	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reitz, 3b	4	2	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Quinn, 2b	4	0	1	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Robinson, c	4	1	1	10	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Corbett, p	4	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	40	13	13	27	10	1	2	0	0	0	1

CHICAGO.

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E	SB	SO	BB	HB	LB
Ryan, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Callah'n, m	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lange, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Aman, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Connor, 2b	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hernan, 1f	3	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
McC'rmick, ss	3	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kittridge, c	3	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Griffith, p	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	30	2	7	24	9	3	1	3	3	0	0

Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0—2
Base hits	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0—2
Baltimore	0	0	1	0	4	0	1	4	3	*1	*3
Base hits	1	0	1	0	4	0	1	4	3	*1	*3

Baltimore, Md., Sept. 15.—Exact attendance, 2,140. Earned runs—Baltimore, 8. Two-base hits—Doyle, Reitz. Stolen bases—Keeler, Doyle; Quinn-Reitz-Doyle. Passed balls—Kittridge, 2. Griffith, 1. Sacrifice hit—Kelley. Hit by pitched ball—Jennings. Umpires—Emslie and McDonald. Time of game—1:32.

Boston, 9; Philadelphia, 1.

Boston, Mass., Sept. 15.—The Phillies were again at the mercy of Boston today and after the third inning were not in the game. Sparks proved an unequal match for Stivetts, and only some excellent fielding saved him from a worse punishment than he got. He was not given the support that Stivetts received. Attendance, 2,000. The score:

Boston.	R	B	P	A	E	Philadel'a.	R	B	P	A	E
Hamil'n, cf	1	2	2	0	0	Cooley, 3b	0	1	2	2	0
Tenney, 1b	3	2	13	1	0	Dowd, cf	0	0	3	0	0
Lowe, 2b	2	2	2	3	0	Delehi'y, lf	0	0	2	0	0
Stahl, rf	2	2	1	0	0	Lajoie, 2b	0	0	0	0	0
Duffy, lf	0	0	3	0	0	Shugart, ss	0	1	3	5	2
Collins, ss	0	0	0	3	0	Geier, rf	0	0	1	0	0
Long, ss	0	1	1	3	0	Cross, 2b	0	0	3	1	0
Bergen, c	1	1	8	0	0	Boyle, c	0	1	1	1	0
Sivetts, p	1	1	0	1	0	Sparks, p	1	0	0	2	0
Total	9	12	27	14	1	Total	1	4	24	10	2

Boston	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	6	0	0—9
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—1

Earned runs—Boston, 4; Philadelphia, 1. Two-base hits—Stahl [2]; Collins, Long, Tenney, Boyle. Three base hit—Cooley. Struck out—By Stivetts, 5. Time—1:50. Umpire—Lynch.

Colonels and Pirates Even.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 15.—The Colonels won the first game today by better all around playing. Cunningham's pitching and the fielding of G. Smith were features. Hawley had the Colonels at his mercy in the second game, and the Pirates were easy winners. Waddell was substituted for Magee during the third innings. Patsy Donovan made a great one-hand catch of a liner from Wilson's bat. Attendance, 1,800. Scores:

FIRST GAME.

Louisville.	R	B	P	A	E	Pittsburg.	R	B	P	A	E
Dexter, lf	0	1	1	0	0	Donovan, rf	0	1	1	0	0
Stafford, ss	1	2	2	1	2	Padden, 2b	0	1	4	3	0
Wagner, cf	1	2	2	0	0	Smith, lf	0	0	2	0	0
Nance, rf	0	1	1	0	0	Beckley, 1b	0	1	10	0	0
Werden, 1b	0	1	10	0	0	Hoff'st'r, 3b	0	2	1	2	0
Wilson, c	0	1	5	0	0	Ely, ss	0	0	1	3	0
Ehret, p	0	0	0	1	0	Strode, cf	0	0	1	0	0
G. Smith, 2b	0	0	2	3	1	Merritt, c	1	2	2	0	0
Cun'gh'm, p	0	0	1	2	1	Hughey, p	0	0	0	2	1
Total	2	8	24	9	4	Total	1	7	24	9	1

Louisville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0—2
Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—1

Earned runs—Louisville, 1; Pittsburg, 1. Struck out—By Cunningham, 2; by Hughey, 2. Two-base hits—Nance, Donovan. Double play—Smith-Stafford-Werden. Time—1:40. Umpire—Kelly.

SECOND GAME.

Pittsburg.	R	B	P	A	E	Louisville.	R	B	P	A	E
Donovan, rf	0	1	1	0	0	Dexter, lf	1	1	1	0	0
Padden, 2b	1	1	2	1	0	Stf'd, ss, cf	1	1	2	3	0
Smith, lf	0	1	1	0	0	Delan, ss, rf	0	0	1	2	0
Beckley, 1b	0	1	11	0	0	Wagner, cf	0	0	2	0	0
Hoff'st'r, 3b	0	1	1	0	0	Nance, rf	0	0	1	1	0
Ely, ss	0	0	0	2	0	Wilson, c	0	0	1	0	0
Strode, cf	0	0	1	0	0	Wilson, c	0	0	1	0	0
Brodie, rf	0	0	1	0	0	Clingm'n, p	0	0	0	1	0
Merritt, c	0	0	3	1	0	G. Smith, 2b	0	0	4	1	0
Hawley, p	0	0	0	0	0	Magee, p	0	0	0	0	0
						Waddell, p	0	0	0	1	0
Total	1	5	24	11	1	Total	2	3	24	14	2

Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—1
Louisville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0—2

Earned runs—Pittsburg, 2; Louisville, 2. Struck out—By Waddell, 3; by Hawley, 2. Home runs—Rothfuss. Three-base hits—Dexter, Stafford. Sacrifice hit—Padden. Double play—Stafford-Werden. Hit by pitched ball—Werden, Stafford. Time—2:00. Umpire—Kelly.

New York, 19; Brooklyn, 4.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Sept. 15.—New York took a one-sided game from Brooklyn today. Payne proved easy. Shoch and Sheckard, too, played poorly. Rusie did not try hard after the second inning. The game was called on account of darkness. Attendance, 3,060. Score:

Brooklyn.	R	B	P	A	E	New York.	R	B	P	A	E
Jones, rf	1	0	0	0	0	Y'n H'n, rf	4	2	2	0	0
Griffin, cf	1	2	2	0	0	Hartman, lf	1	4	3	2	0
Shindle, 3b	1	1	0	3	0	Joyce, 3b	0	1	1	2	0
And'son, lf	1	1	2	0	1	Davis, ss	3	1	2	4	0
La Ch'ce, 1b	0	3	11	0	1	Getting, 2b	1	2	7	0	3
Shoch, 2b	0	0	5	4	2	McC'rry, rf	1	3	1	0	0
Smith, c	0	1	4	1	0	Clark, 1b	1	3	1	7	0
Sheck'd, ss	0	0	0	5	4	Warner, c	3	1	5	1	1
Payne, p	0	0	0	2	0	Rusie, p	2	1	0	0	0
Totals	4	7	24	15	8	Totals	19	15	24	11	2

Brooklyn	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	4	
New York	3	2	0	2	0	3	3	0	0	6	—19

Earned runs—Brooklyn, 0; New York, 7. Struck out—By Payne, 3; by Rusie, 4. Two-base hit—Griffin. Three-base hit—Rusie. Double plays—Davis-Clark, 2. Stolen bases—Van Haltren, Joyce, Davis [2], Getting. Hit by pitched ball—Warner. Wild pitches—Payne, 3. Time—2:02. Umpire—Hurst.

BUFFALO IN THE BIG LEAGUE.

Story That Cleveland Will Retire Is Revived—Anxious for the Franchise.

Buffalo's alleged application for a place in the Western league circuit has aroused gossip relative to the possibility of the big New York town taking Cleveland's place in the National league. Of course it is an old story to talk about Cleveland dropping out of the league, but the time for Magnate Robison's town to do so, and gracefully, has never been more propitious than at present. It has been a bad year for baseball in Cleveland. A team which could not draw well at home when it had a good fighting chance for first place has, as a matter of course, not drawn well when it took a poor position in the race early and never improved it to a great extent. Sunday games, to which Mr. Robison looked with the utmost confidence as the salvation of his baseball finances, have been a failure. They have not drawn enough people in Cleveland on Sunday to defray the expenses of defending the suits in court.

Consequently it looks as if Cleveland might get out of the big league now if it ever really meant to do so. The team has continued a fairly good drawing card on the road, but this is hardly sufficient inducement for the owners to remain in the league.

Where a year ago Detroit was talked of as the most probable successor to any team that might drop out of the National league, Buffalo now seems to have the call, and President Hart of the Chicago club yesterday said: "Buffalo undoubtedly is the best baseball city now available to the National league."

Whether there was even a remote chance for Buffalo to be seen in the big league Mr. Hart refused to venture an opinion.

President Johnson of the Western league declines to discuss the possibility of Buffalo entering his circuit because, as he says, Buffalo has made no application for a place. The interview in a Milwaukee paper of Wednesday resulted, he says, from a conversation that he had with some friends, and he did not expect it to appear in print. Beyond saying that Buffalo is a good baseball town the Western league head ventures no expression.

A Western league manager who was in the city early in the week gave it as his belief that Buffalo's dickering—such as there had been—with the Western league was instigated merely as a pretended as a "feeler" to the National league, to whose company the Buffalonians longingly aspire.

"Buffalo thinks," said he, "that there is a chance to get into the big league and believes that by giving the impression that it may enter the Western league it will get earlier and more favorable consideration at the hands of the National league magnates."

If Buffalo should get into the National league, however, it would, as Johnson says, have to deal with some league club which wanted to retire. It seems reasonable to believe that the big league would welcome Buffalo as a member as a substitute for Cleveland, so that if the Buffalo people could make terms with Robison there would not be much trouble in making the transfer of franchise, temporarily at least. How such a deal could be made affords a speculative field for magnates. Even if Mr. Robison could buy the Buffalo rights it is doubtful if the league would relish the proposition, for many of the magnates are interested in ownership of clubs, and have so expressed themselves many times, there having been exceptional features connected with Mr. Hart's acquisition of the control of the Cincinnati team, although living in Indianapolis. Moreover, it is not likely the Buffalonians would care to get into another league, if by so doing they relinquish ownership in the club. An arrangement by which Mr. Robison would secure an interest in the Buffalo club along with the present owners of the team seems the most natural solution of the case. Manager Watkins has it that Magnate Robison since his falling out with Mark Hanna has been kept busy minding his other financial affairs, and is not in the disposition to throw money away on baseball, as he has been reputed to be able to do for some years. On this account it is estimated that it will be a good deal more likely to effect that arrangement in relation to his baseball plant which is apt to bring the best financial results. It is not thought the National league will oppose Robison owning an interest in the Buffalo club, if the latter comes into the circuit, especially since the Cleveland magnate is personally popular with most of the league's rulers.

Indianapolis Loses and Wins.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—The Senators could not hit Goar in the first game today, but bunched their hits in the second game and won easily. Indianapolis can now lose every game and win the pennant. Score:

FIRST GAME.

Indiana'p's.	R	B	P	A	E	Columbus.	R	B	P	A	E
Hoerle'r, rf	1	1	1	0	0	Hall, rf	0	0	1	0	0
Gray, 3b	0	1	0	5	0	Mertes, lf	0	0	2	0	0
McF'land, lf	0	0	2	0	0	Genins, cf	0	1	1	0	0
McCar'y, 1f	0	0	7	0	0	Quinn, 2b	0	0	1	2	0
Motz, 1b	1	0	18	0	1	Tebeau, 1b	0	1	6	0	0
Wood, c	0	2	2	2	1	Crooks, 2b	2	0	4	3	1
Stewart, 2b	0	0	2	4	0	McCart'y, ss	1	0	0	4	0
Flynn, ss	0	0	1	4	1	Buckley, c	0	2	8	2	1
Goar, p	0	1	0	2	0	Acree, 3b	0	0	0	2	0
						Evans, p	0	0	0	0	0
						*Butler	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	2	5	27	17	3	Totals	3	4	27	9	3

*Butler batted for Jones in the eighth.

Indianapolis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—2
Columbus	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	—3

SECOND GAME.

Indianapolis	0	0	0	3	2	0	3	0	0	8	—8
Columbus	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	—3

Detroit, 5; Toledo, 1.

Toledo, O., Sept. 15.—Detroit and Toledo played an exhibition game today. Score, 5 to 1, in favor of the Detroits.

Western Association.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Cedar R'p'ds	77	40	.658	Peoria	55	62	.470
St. Joseph	71	45	.612	Quincy	54	62	.454
Rockford	63	56	.529	Dubuque	48	70	.406
Des Moines	60	55	.521	Burlington	38	79	.324

Season closes Sept. 26.

AT PEORIA.

Peoria	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	1	0	0	—6
Rockford	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	—4

AT DES MOINES.

Des Moines	2	0	0	8	0	0	2	0	1	0	—13
Burlington	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	5	0	0	—6

AT CEDAR RAPIDS.

Cedar Rapids	1	2	5	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	—13
Dubuque	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

AT KANSAS CITY.

St. Joseph	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	1	—4
Quincy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Batteries—Drummy and Hauser; Nonemacher and Graver. Hits—St. Joseph, 8; Quincy, 9. Errors—St. Joseph, 3; Quincy, 5.

Second game:

St. Joseph	0	0	7	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	—9
Quincy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—1

Interstate League.

AT DAYTON.

Dayton	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	—5
Youngstown	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	—6

AT SPRINGFIELD.

Springfield	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
Mansfield	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1

Second game:

Springfield	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1
Mansfield	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2

Newspaper League.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Tribune	5	2	.714	Journal	3	5	.375
Chronicle	5	4	.667	Dispatch	3	5	.375
Record	5	5	.546				

The Chronicles defeated the Tribunes yesterday at Gaelic association grounds in a one-sided contest. Dahl played a magnificent fielding game, missing only one out of eight chances. Stang, Evers, and Bevan of the Chronicles played a fine game. Goodwin pitched in fine form and was well supported. Score:

Chronicle.	R	B	P	A	E	Tribune.	R	B	P	A	E
Lynch, 2b	4	1	2	2	0	Snow, ss, 2b	0	1	1	3	0
Stang, 1b	4	4	16	0	0	Ra'l, 2b, 3b, p	0	1	1	4	0
Evers, ss	4	2	1	2	0	Lanman, 2b	0	0	1	1	0
Rapp, cf	3	1	2	1	0	You'n, 1b, p	0	0	6	0	0
Goodwin, p	3	3	0	1	0	Ste'l, p, 1b, ss	0	0	2	0	0
Carroll, c	4	2	7	0	0	Acree, 3b	0	0	0	2	0
Bevan, 3b	3	3	0	1	0	McNabb, p	0	0	0	0	0
Joerndt, lf	2	1	1	0	0	Dahl, lf	1	1	1	0	1
Foss, rf	3	2	1	0	0	Zimmerman, c	0	1	7	1	0
						Owen, rf	0	1	0	1	0
						Ross, rf	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	27	18	24	16	1	Totals	3	7	24	7	7

Chronicle	2	0	1	3	1	0	5	0	6	—27	
Tribune	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	—3	

Earned runs—Chronicle, 9; Tribune, 2. Two-base hits—Lynch, Stang, Rapp, Snow, Randall, Zimmerman. Three-base hits—Evers, Zimmerman. Home run—Zimmerman. Bases on balls—Off Goodwin, 1; off Steele, 4; off Acres, 2; off Younggren, 1; off Randall, 1; off McNabb, 4. Struck out—By Goodwin, 1; by Steele, 3; by Randall, 1; by McNabb, 1. Hit by pitched ball—Evers. Left on bases—Chronicle, 7; Tribune, 8. Double play—Goodwin-Lynch-Stang. Passed balls—Carroll, 2; Lanman, 1. Wild pitches—Goodwin, 2; Steele, 1; Acres, 2; Younggren, 2; Randall, 2. Umpire—Tindill. Time of game—2:10.

MICHAEL WINS FROM LESNA.

Swiss Rider Is Handicapped by Poor Pace-Making Arrangements.

Springfield, Mass., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—Jimmie Michael is again the hero of the hour. The little Welshman gained the grandest victory of the season in the twenty-mile match race against Lucien Lesna, the great Swiss rider, at the Springfield meet today, and lowered the world record for twenty miles by two and three-fifths seconds, going the last mile behind the Johnson quad team in 1:49.

Michael gave a clever exhibition of head work in his race and showed plainly the value of his great experience in this class of a race. The win of Michael caused a surprise, however, with one-half the people who had looked for certain victory for Lesna. The Swiss rider suffered from poor pacing, with which he was no match for Michael. Lesna registered objections to his pacemaking again and again.

Michael was game throughout, looking round to locate his great opponent at any and all times. Lesna was fresh when he finished. Probably 15,000 people witnessed the contest, a record-breaking crowd for famous old Hampden Park.

Two records fell during the day, the first being the mile handicap record mark 2:04⅘, which Gardiner cut to 2:04⅗.

Throughout the great race Michael and Lesna, first one and then the other being in the lead, rode just outside of record time until the last mile. Never was a closer or gamer contest seen than this, and never was seen greater excitement than that of today as the men alternated in the lead. The management of the pacing for Michael was of the best, and it was to the superiority of this essential feature that the lad won his great contest, the greatest of his life.

Tomorrow Michael will go against the ten-mile paced record of the world as a special feature and John S. Johnson will meet W. W. Hamilton in a half-mile pursuit race. The summaries:

Final half mile professional—E. C. Bald won, A. I. Brown second, Arthur Gardiner third. Time, 1:01.

Semi-final, mile amateur, first heat—E. M. Blake won, G. H. Collett second, H. B. Hills third. Time, 2:32 1-5. Johnson, Dawson, and E. K. Berg shut out. Second heat—I. A. Powell won, E. C. Hausman second, G. E. Reith third. Time, 2:26 1-5. E. W. Peabody, E. C. Ferre, and R. F. Ludwig shut out. Final mile open, amateur—I. A. Powell won, G. H. Collett second, E. M. Blake third. Time, 2:08 3-5.

Final mile, 2:10 class, professional—Fred Titus won, E. K. Kelleher second, W. M. Randall third. Time, 2:08 1-5.

Mile match race, high wheel, between Billy Rowe and G. M. Hendee—Hendee won, Rowe second. Time, 3:01 4-5.

Final quarter-mile championship, amateur—E. C. Hausman won, R. F. Ludwig second, E. M. Blake third. Time, :34 2-5.

Final mile open, professional—Tom Cooper won, Fred Loughead second, Major Taylor third, J. S. Johnson fourth. Time, 2:05 4-5.

Final half mile handicap, amateur—F. H. Dreher, 20 yards, won; E. C. Hausman, scratch, second; George Reith, 10 yards, third. Time, 1:01 4-5.

Final mile handicap, professional—Tom Butler, 35 yards, won; Arthur Gardiner, scratch, second; Watson Coleman, 60 yards, third; H. B. Freeman, 85 yards, fourth. Time, 2:04 1-5.

Mls.	Holder.	Today's time.	Mls.	Holder.	Today's time.
2	Michael	1:05	11	Michael	20:56 4-5
2	Lesna	1:05 4-5	12	Michael	23:50 3-5
3	Lesna	5:44 2-5	13	Michael	24:48 1-5
4	Michael	9:23 1-5	14	Michael	26:42
5	Michael	9:23 1-5	15	Michael	28:35 1-5
6	Michael	11:19	16	Michael	30:30 4-5
7	Michael	13:16	17	Michael	32:26 3-5
8	Michael	15:10 2-5	18	Michael	34:25
9	Lesna	17:05 2-5	19	Michael	36:22
10	Lesna	19:02	20	Michael	38:11

Judges for Horse Show.

New York, Sept. 15.—The premium list for the thirteenth annual national horse show has been issued. The dates are from Monday, Nov. 15 to Saturday, Nov. 20. Judges in all classes have been selected before hand and are as follows: Thoroughbreds, Milton Young, Lexington, Ky.; hackneys, Alexander Morton, Gowanbank, Scotland; James Wood, Mount Kisco, N. Y.; Alexander B. McLaren, Aurora, Ill.; trotters, roadsters, and road rigs, David Bonner and A. C. Hall of New York City, and Shelby T. Harrison, Lexington, Ky.; French coachers, pony stallions, and broodmares, half-breeds and ponies under saddle and in harness, Lauren Stuart, Detroit, and standard stallions, H. L. Herbert; four-in-hands, tandems, carriage, and harness horses, horses, carriages, and appointments, hansom cabs and horses, and delivery wagons, Colonel Edward Morrill, Philadelphia, and C. Suydam Cutting and H. Read of New York City; saddle and polo horses, R. W. Rives, New Hamburg, N. Y.; Winthrop Rutherford, New York City, and Dr. Hasbrouck, Poughkeepsie; hunters and jumpers, Charles E. Mather, M. F. H., Philadelphia; John D. Cheevy, and George Work, of New York city; veterans and ladies' horses, W. Sheppard, Edward Loomis, and T. G. Sherwood.

Parliamentary Cricket Team.

London, Sept 15.—[Special Cable.]—The Daily Mail says that arrangements are in progress for sending a Parliamentary cricket team, composed of members of the House of Lords and House of Commons, around the empire next year. The team will play their first game in Canada.

Sturch and Barry Go to Cincinnati.

Joe Sturch left last night for Cincinnati, where on Monday next he is to meet Dave Richards in a twenty-round contest. He was accompanied by Timmy Barry, the bantam champion. Sturch is down to 118 flat.

Notes of the Fighters.

"Mysterious Billy" Smith and "Tommy" West were yesterday matched in New York for a twenty round go Sept. 30 at Greenpoint, L. I.

Tommy Ryan says in answer to McCoy's talk about another fight: "I will sign to fight him at 153 pounds, weight in at 9 o'clock, the same as he did last Wednesday, and I will guarantee not to weigh more than 147 pounds."

TARGET SHOOT AT SHERIDAN.

Marksmen from the Department of the Missouri at Known Distances—The Score.

The crack of rifles and the "ping" of bullets on the range at Fort Sheridan yesterday announced that for the first time in three years the picked men of the Department of the Missouri, U. S. A., were at target shooting at the Illinois post. Thirty-three non-commissioned officers and privates lined up and fired forty shots each at 600, 500, 300, and 200 yards at the targets, which were made to resemble human beings in different postures.

The use of figures of recumbent, crawling, and standing men in place of the old bull's-eye targets gave general satisfaction. The figure and the system of marking are calculated to train the soldier to kill and not merely to hit the object at which he may shoot in time of war. The new Krag-Jorgenson rifle also came in for the approval of the marksmen.

The summaries for the shoot are as follows:

Names, rank, company, regiment.	200	300	500	600	Total.	Or-der

EAST VERSUS WEST.

Golfers Now on Even Terms in the Championships.

TWO LEFT ON EACH SIDE.

Whigham and Macdonald to Meet Douglas and Betts.

PLAY IS REMARKABLY CLOSE.

Nineteen Holes Necessary to Decide Willits Match.

ONLY TWO WILL REMAIN TONIGHT.

[By H. J. Whigham, Amateur Golf Champion of America.]

In the first round of yesterday's play the favorites won without exception, the two closest matches being those between Macdonald and Reid and Willits and Betts.

In the afternoon the games were closer. Macdonald, who had played a splendid uphill game against Reid, was first to repeat the operation against Stewart. Probably no two matches have ever been more bravely retrieved in the history of championship competitions. It is fortunate for him that he is not likely to have so close a match this morning in the semi-final round.

Betts played a fine game against Harriman, but he can hardly expect to escape defeat when he meets Macdonald. Coats deserves great credit for making a most determined fight when the odds were against him.

Douglas had it pretty well his own way in both rounds, and he ought to make a fine showing in the semi-final rounds.

Four men of the West met the onslaught yesterday of twelve men of the East. All day the battle raged on the moors at Wheaton, and when it was over victory was with the men of the West, for they had lost but two of their number, while in the camp of the champions from the East ten were missing.

Macdonald and Whigham saved the day for the West, and Douglas and Betts remained on the field as the sole survivors of the gallant array from the East.

It was a great day in the annals of the national golf tournament. It was a great day for the West. And it was a great day for Macdonald and Whigham. The pink-coated hosts hardly breathed in the morning for excitement. Four Western men were to go out against twelve Eastern men, and it looked as though the champions of the West might be wiped off the links by sheer force of numbers. Both Westerners were hard put to it, morning and afternoon, by opponents who fought them to the very last hole.

Stewart Battles Nobly.

Macdonald was paired with Stewart, who met good drive with good drive and clever putt with equally clever putt. At the seventeenth hole it was Macdonald one up, with the eighteenth to win or tie. The two hundred spectators who had plodded around the entire links behind stood like statues, and the crowd which had waited at the end of the course under the shade of the awnings did not even move its fans as Macdonald and Stewart approached the fatal hole. Both men lofted high and fell dead on the green. Stewart putted and lay within two feet of the hole. Another shot would put him in. Macdonald's lay fifteen feet from the hole. No one thought he would even try to do better than to putt it in in two.

The tall champion of the Chicago Golf club strode over to the white ball, half hidden in the grass. He raised his club slowly, while the spectators leaned forward, every eye fixed on the white sphere and the polished head of the putter just over it.

Macdonald's Last Stroke.

Then the strong arms of Macdonald, that could have driven that sphere bounding out of sight across the moor, descended just hard enough to roll the ball fifteen feet and one inch, and no more. That brought it exactly over the middle of that narrow little mecca, the eighteenth hole, and it dropped in and the match was won.

A harder stroke, even if no more than the weight of a baby's hand, would have sent the ball across that all-important four and a quarter-inch opening in the center of the green. A lighter touch would have rimmed it on the near side. Both would have been fatal. It was as pretty play as any one would want to see, whether he be of the golfing folk or merely a layman who has difficulty to distinguish between a foozle and a brassie, and who is always asking for an introduction to Colonel Bogie.

The spectators forgot for a moment the awful solemnity which usually enshrouds a golf game, and they overran the putting green and crowded about the blushing Macdonald, who, for the first time during the day, looked what is known on the links as scattered.

Whigham left the seventeeth hole just as Macdonald did with one up. He made a beautiful drive from the last tee and a long shot with his brassie, and a good approach landed him fifteen feet from the hole, which he made with two putts, defeating Coats. Now the East and the West meet equal, and this morning in match play will determine what two among them will do final battle on Saturday.

GREAT BATTLE IS ON TODAY.

Match Between Whigham and Douglas Will Be Watched with Much Interest.

[By James Shields Murphy, Editor of the Golfer.]

As the result of yesterday's playing New York is matched against Chicago for the semi-finals in the national golf tournament. Chicago is represented by Champion Whigham and ex-Champion Macdonald; New York by Findlay S. Douglas and W. R. Betts.

While Chicago has the two best men, it is not all over yet, for F. S. Douglas has a strong following that is not moved by local feeling, but on account of his game. He has played consistent golf all during the meeting, and it is expected that if he holds his form he will win his match today. He plays with Champion Whigham, while Betts plays with ex-Champion Macdonald.

The first match rounds were started at 9:30 and the first pair away were C. H. Macdonald and John Reid Jr. All of the men were away by 10:30. Though there was no sunshine during the early part of the day it was quite hot on the links, and two hours was the average for the round.

Champion Whigham and ex-Champion Macdonald won their matches, and the other two Chicago men fell by the wayside. This left six Eastern men in for the second match rounds in the afternoon.

The morning rounds were full of surprises. The most startling of these was the defeat of Tyng by Harriman, the latter winning by 3 up, 1 to play. Betts beat Willits, 1 up, 19 holes. They were all even at the eighteenth hole, and the extra hole was won by Betts, 6 to 7.

Coats beat Sweney, 3 up, 2 to play. Macdonald beat Reid, 2 up. Stewart beat Chadwick, 3 up, 2 to play. Fenn beat Emmett, 5 up, 3 to play. Whigham beat Stillman, 4 up, 3 to play. Douglas beat Forgan, 4 up, 3 to play.

Summary of the Morning's Play.

The full scores appended are interesting, as showing the stroke play.

The cards and summary:

C. H. Macdonald, Chicago Golf club:
Out ..... 6 5 5 6 5 7 4 4 3—44
In ..... 5 6 5 4 5 5 6 4 4—44—88
John Reid Jr., New Haven Golf club:
Out ..... 5 4 7 5 6 5 6 4 4—46
In ..... 4 5 5 6 5 5 6 5 5—45—91
Macdonald beat Reid, 2 up.
W. R. Betts, Shinnecock Hills Golf club:
Out ..... 7 5 5 4 4 5 5 4 3—42
In ..... 4 5 5 5 5 5 6 5 5—45—87
Nineteenth hole, 6.
G. S. Willits, Chicago Golf club:
Out ..... 6 5 5 6 6 4 4 4 4—46
In ..... 4 6 5 5 6 5 4 6 5—52—98
Nineteenth hole, 7.
Betts beat Willits, 1 up, 19 holes.
A. M. Coats, Newport Golf club:
Out ..... 5 6 4 4 5 5 5 4 3—42
In ..... 4 6 6 6 5 5 5 * *—38—80
*Bye holes not played.
H. R. Sweney, Albany Country club:
Out ..... 8 4 6 6 5 5 6 7 4—52
In ..... 3 6 6 5 5 5 5 7 *—36—88
*Bye holes not played.
Coats beat Sweney, 3 up, 2 to play.
H. M. Harriman, Knollwood Country club:
Out ..... 4 4 6 6 6 5 4 4 4—47
In ..... 4 5 4 6 5 6 5 5 4—44—91
James A. Tyng, Morris County Golf club:
Out ..... 6 5 5 6 5 5 5 4 4—47
In ..... 4 6 5 5 5 6 5 6 5—46—93
Harriman beat Tyng, 3 up, 2 to play.
W. G. Stewart, Seabright Golf club:
Out ..... 7 4 6 4 6 5 4 4 4—44
In ..... 3 5 5 6 4 5 5 * *—34—78
*Bye holes not played.
John R. Chadwick, Richmond County Country club:
Out ..... 8 5 6 5 5 5 4 4 3—43
In ..... 4 6 5 7 4 5 5 * *—36—81
*Bye holes not played.
Stewart beat Chadwick, 3 up, 2 to play.
Arthur H. Fenn, Palmetto Golf club:
Out ..... 5 5 4 6 5 5 4 5 4—44
In ..... 3 5 5 6 5 4 5 * *—28—72
*Bye holes not played.
Devereux Emmett, Westbrook Golf club:
Out ..... 7 6 5 6 7 5 5 4 5—49
In ..... 3 4 4 7 4 5 5 * *—29—78
*Bye holes not played.
Fenn beat Emmett, 5 up, 3 to play.
H. J. Whigham, Onwentsia club:
Out ..... 5 6 5 7 8 5 5 4 3—48
In ..... 4 4 4 7 5 6 * * *—30—78
*Bye holes not played.
James Stillman, Newport Golf club:
Out ..... 6 5 6 8 6 9 7 5 5—54
In ..... 3 5 6 6 6 6 * * *—32—86
*Bye holes not played.
Whigham beat Stillman, 4 up, 3 to play.
Findlay S. Douglas beat D. R. Forgan 4 up, 3 to play. Douglas' total was 86, but the full cards were not kept.

Afternoon Contests.

The eight men to qualify for the second match rounds were away shortly after 3 o'clock. The drawings were Harriman vs. Betts, Macdonald vs. Stewart, Coats vs. Whigham, Fenn vs. Douglas.

Five of these men—Macdonald, Stewart, Coats, Whigman, and Douglas—learned their game on the other side. The other three are classed as American golfers. Fenn, as is well known, is a player that never had an expert give him a lesson. Betts and Harriman are pupils of well known professionals, and have proved themselves worthy pupils.

It is thought that in another year or two, as the American players progress, the young men named will be up to the form of any of the European players.

The cards and scores for the second match rounds played in the afternoon are as follows:

W. R. Betts, Shinnecock Hills Golf club:
Out ..... 4 6 6 5 5 4 4 4—44
In ..... 3 5 5 5 5 5 5 4—41—75
*Bye holes not played.
H. M. Harriman, Knollwood Country club:
Out ..... 6 5 5 6 6 5 5 4 4—47
In ..... 3 5 5 9 5 * * * *—27—74
*Bye holes not played.
Betts beat Harriman 4 up, 3 to play.
Charles B. Macdonald, Chicago Golf club:
Out ..... 6 6 6 5 5 4 5 5—46
In ..... 3 4 5 7 4 4 3 4 4—38—84
W. G. Stewart, Seabright Golf club:
Out ..... 6 6 5 5 5 5 4 3 3—53
In ..... 3 6 5 5 4 5 5 6 4 5—43—96
Macdonald beat Stewart 2 up.
H. J. Whigham, Onwentsia club:
Out ..... 5 5 5 5 5 6 5 6 3—45
In ..... 3 4 5 5 5 6 5 4 5—42—87
A. M. Coats, Newport Golf club:
Out ..... 5 5 5 6 5 7 4 6 3—48
In ..... 3 6 5 7 4 5 4 5 5—44—92
Whigham beat Coats 3 up.
F. S. Douglas, Fairfield County Golf club:
Out ..... 6 6 7 4 5 5 5 4 3—45
In ..... 4 4 6 6 6 * * * *—25—70
A. H. Fenn, Palmetto Golf club:
Out ..... 7 6 4 6 5 6 4 4 4—46
In ..... 4 5 5 6 7 6 * * *—28—74
*Bye holes not played.
Douglas beat Fenn 3 up, 4 to play.

As an extra feature for the day President Curtis presented a consolation prize, for which there were twenty-one entries. W. B. Smith of the Onwentsia club won, with a card of 90.

The drawings for today are Whigham vs. Douglas, Macdonald vs. Betts.

FEATURES OF THE PLAYING.

Coats Surprises Himself by His Good Performance Against the Champion.

The surprises of the day, aside from Reid's brilliant showing against Macdonald in the morning were afforded in the contests of Stewart against Macdonald and Coats against Whigham. The last part of the Macdonald-Stewart match was identical with the ex-champion's contest with Reid, the two men being all even at the eighteenth. Macdonald taking the sixteenth, the men halving the seventeenth, and Macdonald taking the eighteenth and winning by two up.

Coats' play against Whigham was a surprise, not only to those who followed the match but to himself as well. The match was one of the best exhibitions of golf seen thus far, Coats playing a plucky uphill game and succeeding in tying at the sixteenth hole.

Whigham took the first, Coats narrowly missing two putts. Coats took the second in four, Whigham slicing his drive too far in trying to allow for the wind. Whigham took the next two, Coats missing a four-foot putt at the fourth. The champion also took the fifth and the sixth. The long hole of the course was halved.

Whigham missed his fourth stroke, a putt for the half, at the seventh, and the hole went into a bunker, and a missed putt at the fifteenth, and a short putt at the sixteenth serving to diminish the champion's lead. "All even" going to the seventeenth, it looked serious for Whigham, but he won this seventeenth by an eight-foot putt. Coats missing a three-foot putt for the half. The eighteenth was halved in five and Whigham had won by one up.

Douglas and Fenn played an interesting match, but Douglas gradually gained on his man, and at the fourteenth hole he had won the match by five up, four to play.

Betts' victory over Harriman was to a great extent achieved by the latter's inability to judge his putts. "He attempted to go down the hole when he should have played safe," said R. B. Wilson, the professional. "In other respects his game was a strong one."

AUGUST EXPORTS BEAT RECORD

Valued at $79,497,820 and Exceed Imports by $40,953,753—Smallest Imports Since 1879.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 15.—Domestic exports for August were the largest of any August of which the Bureau of Statistics of the Treasury department has a record. They were valued at $79,497,820, as against $66,689,961 in August, 1896, an increase of $12,807,939; for the eight months ended Aug. 31, 1897, they amounted to $629,434,371, an increase of $62,217,387 over last year.

The excess of exports of merchandise over imports for August last was $40,953,753, as against an excess of $19,132,816 in August, 1896, and during the last eight months $95,229,213, as compared with $109,698,493 during the corresponding months of 1896.

The value of imports during August amounted to $39,876,640. This is the smallest value since June, 1879, when they amounted to $38,890,451.

The imports of the month just passed were about equally divided between free and dutiable goods, the value of the former being $21,231,592, and of the latter $18,645,048.

The increase of exports is made up mainly of breadstuffs, which is accounted for by the heavy foreign demand for American grains.

The amount of gold imported during August amounted to $4,374,175, and the exports to $1,983,588.

The silver imports during August amounted to $1,491,752, and the exports to $5,313,277.

CONTRACTOR MARTIN STABBED.

Maywood Man Is Probably Fatally Cut During Progress of a Quarrel.

G. H. Martin, 33 years old, a contractor living at Maywood, was brought to the city at midnight last night over the Northwestern road suffering from a knife wound in the abdomen. Martin was conveyed to the County Hospital in the ambulance from the West Chicago Avenue Police Station.

The attendants at the hospital said Martin's wound was fatal. With the exception of the fact that he was stabbed during a quarrel with his father-in-law the police were unable to learn any particulars. Martin was very low when the hospital was reached and refused to talk about the matter.

In coughs, colds, influenza, bronchitis, diarrhœa, dysentery use Sander's Eucalyptol.

ASK FOR THE GAME.

C. A. A.'s Request Taken Up by the Varsity Trustees.

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

To Consult with Stagg and Board of Physical Culture.

IS QUESTION OF PRINCIPLE.

It may be the pressure the Chicago Athletic association has brought to bear on the trustees of the University of Chicago may result in a football game between the two institutions. The trustees have decided to give the request made by the association earnest consideration. At a meeting of the varsity solons held on Tuesday a letter of President Pettet asking formally for a game was discussed at length and at last referred to a special committee of three, who are to consult with the Board of Physical Culture and with Professor Stagg, and then take final action. The chairman of this committee is Charles L. Hutchinson, and the other two members are Dr. A. K. Parker and Andrew McLeish.

At the meeting the greatest emphasis was laid on the fact the best of feeling exists between the authorities of the school and the club. Several of the varsity trustees are members of the C. A. A. and some of them are among the foremost of the club. This consideration and the fact the proposed game is to be for charity will be the basis of the work of the special committee.

Every man at the meeting seemed to be fully aware of the side of the question held at present by the Board of Physical Culture. The general proposition that college teams should be allowed to go out and compete with every team in the country, no matter of what character, was held to be wrong. Secretary T. W. Goodspeed in speaking of this side of the matter said:

"The university looks upon the matter not as if the men of the institution were any superior to those found in non-educational associations, but as a pure question of principle. The prime object of a college is culture, and that chiefly of the mind. When college teams are allowed to play organizations other than those from other colleges it puts forward the athletic side of the case too prominently. There are plenty of colleges to keep the teams busy.

"This view of the case has been held by the university authorities from the beginning of the athletics of the school. Even before other Western schools seemed to have considered the matter seriously this institution was its advocate. The sentiment grew, and was finally adopted by the Western Intercollegiate Athletic association. It was our own peculiar principle; now it has become a matter of contract between us and other schools, and we should be breaking faith if we should do anything but stand by the rules."

When asked if the sentiment in the board for the Chicago Athletic association was so strong that the school would withdraw from it if the other members of the Western Intercollegiate should decide to change the rule, Dr. Goodspeed said:

"I do not see how the school could remain neutral in the matter. Our contract with the other schools is enough to hold us at present even if we had no stronger reason. But we have that stronger reason, and as it is connected so intimately with the principles and policy of the university I do not see how we could refrain from speaking in its favor. However, if there were no such a rule and this proposition to play a game for charity should arise I cannot say exactly what might be the result."

Professor Stagg expressed ignorance of what the trustees had done in the matter, and even doubted that they should consider the affair within their province. He declared that although he is interested in the matter it is outside of his province except as he is a member of the Board of Physical Culture. The next meeting of the board will not be until near the first of October, and at that time the special committee of the trustees will probably be present.

Professor Stagg devoted most of the practice with his kickers yesterday to line work. Those who are watching the practice think they can see signs of the new team in the apparently haphazard way in which the men are made to play, all sorts of positions. Many are convinced there is to be a change in quarterbacks, for Gordon Clarke is playing everything but his old position.

The Chicago Athletic association is gaining some valuable material. Yesterday Kellogg of Oak Park, a good guard, and McVay, a heavy weight tipping the scales at 225, came out and wanted to be taught the game. Harry Fouts, Illinois '95, who was one of Champaign's best half backs, also volunteered his services. He will make a valuable man if he has not lost his good form as he did at Illinois. He runs low, hits the line hard, and is a sure ground gainer. Buell, a former Dartmouth player, is also a candidate.

PRACTICE GAME FOR BANKERS.

Money Changers' Eleven Will Play the Princeton Athletic Club Saturday.

Captain "Ben" Thomas of the Bankers' A. C. will lead his squad of warriors against the Princeton athletic club's South Side eleven for a practice game on Bankers' Field on Saturday afternoon of this week.

Fifteen or sixteen men are at work at Bankers' Field daily under the personal direction of Captain Thomas. A training table has been established at the grounds, and the men are now undergoing systematic handling. The majority of last year's eleven are at work again, including Arthur Briggs, Stone, Newhall, Knackstedt, Wood, and Daly.

Thomas, Stewart, and Hadden will be at their old positions in the line next Saturday, while Phil Graver and Paul Brown will be among the backs. "Dey" Karel, the famous Wisconsin half, is regularly in practice with the bankers, and will be seen in Saturday's game. It will be Karel's first appearance on the football field under different colors than Wisconsin's, whose mainstay behind the line he has been for the last four years.

Stone, a former C. A. A. player of several years ago, has also reported to Captain Thomas, and is a likely candidate for a line position. Mann, Kaspar, and Bartelme, all high school graduates, are trying for positions as well.

Manager Ranney reports satisfactory progress in the way of a schedule. The bankers have by no means abandoned hope of a game with the cherry circle team. A conference of the leading officials of both organizations will take place this week, as a result of which a series between the teams is hoped for. Mr. Ranney is also about to complete a date with a crack out-of-town team for a Thanksgiving game at Bankers' Field, though, pending final arrangements, the name of the visiting eleven is temporarily withheld.

Waukegan "Picked" Team.

Waukegan, Ill., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—The picked team which will meet the C. A. A. on Saturday is made up almost entirely of former college men and includes five former Captains of college teams. The expected lineup, together with the colleges and teams the men have played with, is as follows:

Dr. Carr, Michigan, center; Ralph Boyd, Kenosha, right guard; T. E. Gray, Orange Athletics, left guard; H. Hadden, Chicago Athletics, left tackle; Robey, University of Chicago, right tackle; Fred Whitney, Williams, left end; H. N. Giles, Waukegan, right end; J. N. Adams, Lake Forest, quarter back; John Lee, Lake Forest, right half back; W. Jackson, Lake Forest, left half back; Bloomingston, Michigan, full back. This team is a strong one, but will suffer from lack of practice together.

Princeton's Heavy Line.

Princeton, N. J., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—The Princeton players were weighed today and the resulting figures indicate that the Princeton team this year will be the heaviest in the history of the college. The linemen weighed as follows: Edwards, 235; Holt 225; Booth, 214; McDermott, 192; Cochrane, 194; Lathrop, 187.

MICHAEL SHEVLIN IS DEAD.

Member of the Notorious Gang of Pickpockets Passes Away from Typhoid Fever.

Michael Shevlin, one of the notorious Shevlin gang of pickpockets, holdup men, and all around crooks, died at Taylor and Aberdeen streets last night after a few days' illness of typhoid malarial fever.

The family is composed of four brothers—John, Vincent, Edward, and Michael. For years they have been known as expert pickpockets and each one of them has been arrested scores of times, but as yet the police have been unable to convice any of them, a fact largely due to the influence of their mother, well known as "Mother" Shevlin.

Mrs. Shevlin lives at 3252 Emerald avenue in a house said to have been purchased by her sons.

Vincent Shevlin is now under indictment for the murder of James Fogarty in the home of Mollie Mott a year ago.

SHOTS MAY MEAN MURDER

MYSTERY AT BURNHAM STARTS A HOT SEARCH BY THE POLICE.

Three Employes of the Compound Door Works Hear Reports of Revolvers and a Man's Cry and Rush to the Hammond Station to Give the News—Railroad Employe Confirms Their Story—Hunt Through the Southern District.

Details of police from the southern end of Cook County and from Lake County, Ind., spent all of last night in searching for the body of a man who was supposed to have been shot and killed near the Town of Burnham, about a mile south of Hegewisch. Efforts of the police were unsuccessful but the search will be resumed today for there is good reason to believe a fatal shooting affray has occurred.

At 9 o'clock p. m. Karl Knisch, Frederick Hermann, and William Mausch, employed by the Compound door works, a factory in Burnham, entered the office of Chief of Police Malo of Hammond and said they believed a man had been killed near One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and the Hammond road.

These men said they were returning from work between 7 and 8 o'clock at night and were walking along the road, when they were startled by the sound of a gunshot. Then came the sound of three revolver shots. A man's voice, which seemed to come from a thicket in the vicinity, yelled: "My God, don't shoot any more; I am badly wounded." Then came three more shots and all was still.

The workingmen were unarmed and did not dare to attempt an investigation. They hastened to Hammond, where they told the story to the police. Chief Malo detailed Captain Hartman and a number of men to search the country in the vicinity of Hammond. A telephone message was sent to Sergeant MacCaulley of the Hegewisch Police Station, and the sergeant with several policemen gave up several hours in beating the country about the Fort Wayne tracks with a hope of finding some clew.

Towerman Belknap, in charge of the Burnham Junction, also declared he heard the sound of the shots. The police of Hammond and Hegewisch are convinced a crime was committed.

It may have been an attempt to hold up one of the factory employés, as the 15th was pay day, and many of the workmen have to carry their money through a long stretch of lonely district.

UNION INVESTMENT RECEIVER.

Judge Clifford Appoints E. W. Harrison to Take Charge of a Bond Concern's Affairs.

Judge Clifford yesterday appointed Edward W. Harrison receiver for the Union Investment association, a corporation organized under the laws of Iowa, upon the application of John B. Chapman, a holder of bonds in the concern.

The defendant corporation was first known upon its incorporation as the Tontine Bond Investment association. In 1891 the change to the present title was made and the complainant became the purchaser of 131 bonds in the association. By the terms of the association the complainant says he was to pay $1 a month on each bond until it was redeemable and then was to receive $200 on each bond.

Chapman says he has paid in up to the present $78 on each bond. The court is told that the bylaws of the association provided that its funds should be held as trust funds in some bank for the benefit and protection of its bondholders, but the charge is made that John P. Anderson, who has been President of the association for the last six years, has had sole charge of its affairs during all that time. No trustees or directors have been elected, according to the bill, for three or four years, and Anderson has kept the funds of the association in his own name without giving any bond.

It is charged that Anderson has made fraudulent entries on the books and has not kept them correctly. It is declared further than on Aug. 1 he absconded from Illinois and took most of the available funds of the association with him. Before going, it is said, he destroyed or otherwise disposed of the corporate records.

LEAPS FOUR STORIES TO DEATH.

Mrs. Nellie Baird Commits Suicide at the Kinzie House—Mary Jones Tries to Die.

Mrs. Nellie Baird, wife of Benjamin Baird, 44 North Clark street, committed suicide at 1 o'clock this morning by leaping from the fourth story balcony of the building to the street below. She was dead when two policemen, who saw her fall, reached her side. The husband will be detained at the East Chicago Avenue Station till after the inquest today.

The Bairds occupied the rear fourth flat on the north side of the building which is known as the Kinzie House. Two policemen standing near the Revere House heard a woman scream, then lights flashed suddenly in the window, and in an another instant they saw Mrs. Baird spring through the front window of Julia Morton's apartment and leap headlong over the balcony railing to the street.

It was said by neighbors in the building that Mrs. Baird had been ill for several days. Paul Rentz, who lived across the hall from the Bairds, told the police he went to their door at 1 o'clock and Baird told him his wife had just jumped out of the window. Rentz said he heard no scream.

Mrs. Baird was 26 years old, a Scandinavian, and had been in Chicago ten years.

Unable to find employment and having no friends, a young woman giving the name of Mary Jones took morphine last night and then sat down to await death on a bench in Garfield Park. She was found and a physician put her out of danger.

HIGHER PRICES IN WOOL GOODS.

Manufacturers and Jobbers Say That an Advance of Fifteen to Forty Per Cent Is Necessary.

New York, Sept. 15.—The members of the wool knit goods trade today adopted the following resolutions that the selling price be based on the cost of and figured on the price of raw material or yarn at the time of sale; that according to the relative amount of wool and cotton used, an immediate advance is necessary from 15 to 40 per cent to recover the increased cost of knit goods; and that, if it is necessary to carry out the above resolutions "we will curtail production even to the stoppage of our mills."

Cleveland, O., Sept. 15.—A meeting was held at the Hollenden today of the window glass jobbers in the territory between New York and Chicago. The jobbers have lately been making new prices, just 5 per cent behind manufacturers' prices. Today they decided to make another advance of 5 per cent. The secretary of the association, E. W. Palmer of this city, said: "A crisis is approaching in the window glass business."

HIGH HONOR FOR PAUNCEFOTE.

His Diplomatic Term Will Be Extended One Year, Contrary to All Precedent.

London, Sept. 15.—Truth says: "A great honor is reserved for Sir Julian Pauncefote which was not conferred on any of his diplomatic colleagues. According to the regulations he would retire in 1898, but Lord Salisbury has extended his term of office at Washington for twelve months. Neither Lord Dufferin, Elliott, nor Thornton obtained such an extension. It is a very great compliment to Pauncefote, who deserves it, as he has proved altogether the right man in an especially perilous epoch."

Armour's Woolhouse Is Burning.

Armour's woolhouse at the Stock-Yards caught fire at 2:30 o'clock this morning. The flames started on the top floor of the three-story structure, and soon had burned through the roof. A 2-11 alarm was sent out. The building is worth $7,500 and carried a light stock of wool.

COOL WAVE TO COME.

Weather Man Announces It for Some Time Today.

WEDNESDAY A HOT ONE.

Five Die in a Furnace Temperature of 93 Degrees.

THREE ARE PROSTRATED.

	On the Auditorium tower.	On the street level.
8 a. m.	79 degrees	82 degrees
9 a. m.	83 degrees	85 degrees
10 a. m.	85 degrees	87 degrees
11 a. m.	85 degrees	88 degrees
12 m.	87 degrees	89 degrees
1 p. m.	90 degrees	91 degrees
2 p. m.	91 degrees	92 degrees
3 p. m.	91 degrees	93 degrees
4 p. m.	91 degrees	93 degrees
5 p. m.	91 degrees	93 degrees
6 p. m.	89 degrees	92 degrees
7 p. m.	87 degrees	90 degrees
8 p. m.	85 degrees	88 degrees
9 p. m.	84 degrees	87 degrees
10 p. m.	83 degrees	86 degrees

The hot weather that has prevailed for a week past reached a climax of intensity yesterday afternoon. For something over three hours the thermometer registered 91 degrees on top of the Auditorium tower, where the Weather bureau is stationed, and during the same period the temperature in the street stood at 93. While the range of temperature was not so high as it has been on one or two occasions during the month, the period of heat was of much longer duration than usual, and in consequence the fatalities and suffering were greater.

The Dead.

ANDERSON, SOLOMON, 1988 Cornell street; found dead in his bed after prostration the day before.

CLEARY, JAMES, 38 years old, deckhand employed on steamer Saranac, overcome while unloading vessel, foot of Eighteenth street; carried to cabin, where he died.

DOWN, JAMES, 23 Grace street; died from heart disease, aggravated by the heat.

McBRIDE, JOHN, died in his cot at a lodging-house, 89 Desplaines street.

McCAULEY, WILLIAM, 493 La Salle avenue; prostrated and removed to Alexian Brothers' Hospital, where he died.

The Prostrated.

Pfife, George, a policeman of River Grove, Ill.; overcome while walking with his wife along Franklin street; removed to the home of relatives at 1320 North Western avenue.

Ricketts, Mary, colored; overcome while at work in a laundry at 3523 State street; conveyed to her home, 284 Twenty-ninth street; not serious.

Yeager, Mrs., One Hundred and Third street and Avenue L, South Chicago; removed to County Hospital.

Cooler Weather for Today.

The indications of last evening were for a marked change this morning to cooler weather. The hot wave of yesterday had been pushed somewhat to the South, and centered in St. Louis, where the thermometer registered 98 degrees.

But in the northwest there was a fall in the temperature of from 6 to 12 degrees. This is due to a shifting of the area of low barometer to a point almost exactly over Lake Superior. This probably will result in a further shifting of the wind from southwesterly to westerly, and in this event a decided fall in the temperature is sure to follow. At all events, there is no hot weather in sight to the westward, nothing but cool autumn weather and occasional showers. According to the weather man these will have reached Chicago by morning, or will in all probability come today.

Chemist Mooney has reported from samples procured at each of the city pumping stations that the water is the best in quality it has been for two weeks.

INSURANCE AFFAIRS.

Insurance companies are receiving letters from agents in Kansas in regard to superintendent McNall. The reports are that he is putting in effect all sorts of inquisitorial schemes to pry into the business of the companies and to harass them in the conduct of their business in that State. Almost without exception the reports are that the rules as enforced by the insurance department work to the detriment and discharge of the companies.

A letter yesterday from an insurance agent in Topeka stated that Judge C. E. Foote had been given a place in the department and that his particular line of work would be to examine into the operation of companies doing business in the State. The Kansas department has gained some fame by reason of recent examinations of insurance companies. Two inspectors, D. O. McCray and H. W. Lutman, called upon the Milwaukee Mechanics' and announced their intention of making an examination. They spent about two hours in their work and charged $600. An examination was made of the "orders" which took a like amount of time and for which there was a charge of $400. As the supply of companies is large it is expected Mr. McNall will be able to collect anywhere from $5,000 to $100,000 each year out of fees for examination.

The report of the two inspectors in the case of the Milwaukee Mechanics' has just been made public in Topeka. According to the report of the $1,280,901 shown on the company's statement as first mortgage liens, $278,339 were in twelve different loans secured by the same property, consisting of about three blocks in South Milwaukee. The agents of the State Insurance department give it is their opinion the property could not be sold for the amount of the loans.

Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—The eighth annual convention of the National Association of Life Underwriters opened here today and about 150 delegates were present, representing most of the State associations in the country. At the opening session addresses of welcome were delivered by Harry S. Fuller of the Wisconsin association, Lieutenant Governor Baenschana, and Mayor Rauschenberger. President David S. Hendricks devoted the greater portion of his annual address to a discussion of the rebate evil and State vs. national regulation of insurance companies. He said in part: "Through the influence of this association rebating is on the wane and will soon become a thing of the last if each man will do his duty. In repeated interviews with the Hon. Thomas B. Reed, our referee, he has invariably voiced the sentiment of every student of insurance that the only needed sincere cooperation to forever banish this skeleton in the closet. As for State vs. national regulation neither the public nor the agent has as yet realized the vastness and importance of this question."

Edward Korstad May Recover.

The boy who was dangerously injured on the Tuesday evening by being tossed on the horns of a maddened heifer was identified yesterday morning at the County Hospital as Edward Korstad, 616 North Campbell avenue. He is fourteen years old and the son of Martin Korstad, a carpenter. The physicians at the hospital say there is good chance for his recovery.

Arrest of Justice Waldemar Bauer.

Justice Waldemar Bauer of 1159 West North avenue and Constable Max Danziger were arrested yesterday on complaint of Mrs. Rose Dunsereau of 966 Milwaukee avenue. She charges them with arresting her without cause and also with extortion and assault. Justice Sabath will hear the case.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

THE COUNTY CLERK ISSUED PERMITS TO wed to the following couples yesterday, the parties living in Chicago where no place of residence is given:

	Ages.
Turner H. Sampson, Carrie Raines	27—26
John H. Drake, Anna E. Gulon	25—24
William H. Nash, Mathilda Kennedy	22—21
Morris Wooden, Indianapolis, Ind.; Jennie Burke	27—24
Charles L. Carlisle, Mable L. Champlin	24—22
August Peglow, Annie Hansen	24—20
William R. Y. James Jr., Sarah L. Bennett	30—28
William B. Sanders, Ernestine Schack	35—33
Frank Bachtel, Babara Sebek	24—20
John Meissner, Sophie Nasse	27—27
John F. Stiffi, Anna Wanaukh	24—21
Gerald H. O'Brien, Mamie G. Stokes	25—20
Isaac Rothinson, Florence A. Carpenter	24—21
Thomas P. Monzoren, Mamie Griffin	33—21
George A. Murphy, Clara C. Hills	21—18
Wilson E. Gregory, Philadelphia, Pa., Adelle Stoner	32—24
LeRoy C. Wilson, Ethel M. E. Weed	21—19
Peter A. Blanchard, Anna Welten	23—22
Frank A. Schultz, Agnes A. Ross	23—20
Denis Riordan, Magrie McLiverney	21—18
Gaines Middleton, Minnie A. Lucas	21—18
Sylvester J. Quigley, Mollie Lake	21—23
William C. Post, Lulu M. Pomroy	21—21
Herman Doering, Emma Katz	24—22
John H. Van Dyke, Lena De Wolf	22—20
Nickolas Annen, Theresta Hammerschmidt	44—40
John McCabe, Helen Prut	27—19
Jakob Brogiel, Agata Czarna	23—20
Daniel L. Wilson, Josephine D. Dixon	26—24
William M. Brunton, Marie E. Gray	30—28
Benjamin F. Dressler, Cora M. Kenner	24—21

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Antonio, Anticevich, Jennie Ginocchio	34—25
Henry Kurtzman, Katie Frieden	21—18
Charles A. Williams, Anna Geer	33—29
Henry Rassbach, Anna Larsen	21—21
Arthur C. Hulse, Mollie Blair	22—18
John G. Marley, Jennie M. West	35—28
Hugh G. Lee, Annie Dermody	27—22
Stanton G. Doane, Amy E. Gillette	27—23
Jens Benston, Inga M. Wald	21—20
Bozo Peric, Milka Maravic	21—18
John Martle Jr., Henriette C. Ernst	24—23
Gottfried Hoefle, Libby Smith	51—53
Edwin T. Wiggin, Josephine Peters	33—23
Ambrose E. Collier, Maggie Cafield	21—19
Frank O. Peterson, Julia M. Hutchinson	23—21
Robert W. Bentley, Evangeline D. Hewitt	22—22
Casper G. Galbreath, Anna B. Sherman	23—22
John F. Bruns, Grace E. Huck	31—27
T. D. Damaray, Ella Joyce	23—21
Anton Kuegner, Anna Mayer	32—32
Patrick McLaughlin, Ellen Fahie	33—22
Adolph D. Buthier, Nonie M. Marran	28—23
Matteo Rodeghelas, Rosina Manfren	26—19
Pioter Shaja, Anna Ganzar	26—25
Michael Szwed, Agata Rinher	29—27
Frank DiBilton, Margaret M. Vantotts	21—23
Carl Anderson, Dorothea Olson	35—23
Herman Conscer, Annie Runep	21—20
Isaac Hirsh, Beckie Stern	21—18
William Churchill, Mamie Sherry	24—23
Stanislaw Kozial, Anna Wojciech	30—29
Gustav H. C. Pommerening, Martha Miller	22—20
John J. O'Connor, Josephine Reed	37—37
John Hartnett, Johanna Dowling	30—24
Sebastian Reinalter, Bertha Kallner	43—42
John Rose, Bessie Stolofsky	29—25
Andrizy Zrowkski, Eva Kurzawa	37—36
William O'Connor, Josephine Torphy	21—18
Edwin R. Wright, Lillian C. Hisman	26—18
George Mueller, Augusta F. Taetz	31—29
Karl Eitel, Marie Boldenweck	26—22
William Kelly,

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THURSDAY, SEPT. 16, 1897.

WHAT would an officer in Austria have done under circumstances similar to those at Hazleton?

THAT imaginative naval campaign ought to send stocks in Wall street flying down the toboggan slide.

THE next time Captain Steytler thinks Colonel Rend is snubbed he will doubtless neglect to mention it.

A LONDON court calls beating a board bill a "seditious case." What a Mecca for landladies London must be.

IOWA Democrats have repudiated Boies. Well, Uncle Horace can flock by himself and be in better company.

DR. ANDREWS has changed his mind again and will remain as President of Brown University. The doctor always has three guesses.

THE free silver men of Ohio have shown their good sense by "taking to the woods." They have gone into a free silver campmeeting near Springfield.

ONE farmer may have won a small fortune from a Chicago gambling house, but the ninety and nine are still kicking themselves and doing their own chores.

IF Austria feels real bad about her Hungarian subjects who are working in American coal mines she might take them back to her bosom, where they could enjoy real liberty.

THE injury reported to have been received by the hull of the battleship Indiana while in dock at Halifax would indicate that the docking facilities there are not infallible. On the whole, it would be well for the United States to be in a position to do its own dry-docking and then employ capable men to superintend the job.

THE latest reports from the office of the Commissioner General of Immigration show that the total immigration for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1897, was 230,832, as compared with 343,267 in 1896, a decrease of 112,435, or 33 per cent. The number debarred from entrance in 1897 was 1880, and the total number of illiterate was 44,580. Fifty-two per cent of the total immigration was from Austria-Hungary, Italy, Poland, and Russia, or Slavs, while but 38 per cent was from Great Britain, France, Germany, and Scandinavia. About 72 per cent of the total immigration was destined for the four States of Illinois, Massachusetts, New York, and Pennsylvania. The average of illiteracy among immigrants from Great Britain, France, Germany, and Scandinavia was but 3.6, while the average among Austro-Hungarian, Italian, Polish, and Russian immigrants was 39.9. Little Denmark stands at the head of the list, the number in each hundred being 0.5, while in Italy it is 50.9. The immigration from southeastern Europe is not diminishing, but that from northwestern Europe shows a steady decline.

THE Spanish government is said to be getting together 6,000 more soldiers who are to be sent to Cuba to reinforce Weyler. This means 6,000 more men to be cut down by yellow fever or by the bullets and machetes of the Cubans. Is it not about time for the United States to intervene for the sake of the Spaniards as well as of the Cubans? These conscripts who are being shipped across the Atlantic to meet their death are in some respects as deserving of sympathy as the men against whom they are fighting. They are mostly ignorant young peasants who know nothing of the merits of the conflict in which they are engaged. They fight because they are ordered to, and know no other reasons. They are sent like cattle to the slaughter. It is time for the United States to say that this conflict, in which so much Cuban and Spanish blood has been shed, should stop. If the Spanish government will not of its own accord abandon this ruinous and criminal policy of forcing its subjects to fill Cuban graves the United States, in the interests of humanity and the Spanish peasants, should prevent the shipment of any more Spanish soldiers to Cuba.

THE intelligence will be received by the public with languid interest that President Andrews of Brown University, vowing he would ne'er consent, has at last consented, and has withdrawn his resignation, this time for good. What private understanding exists between him and the corporation does not appear, but it is not likely that he will make his 16 to 1 lunacy offensive because there will be no provocation to do so, first, because the issue itself is moribund, and, second, because there will be no political campaign for a long time to come which can tempt him to abandon his duties as President and display his bumptiousness as a politician. Meanwhile the animating motive which seems to have induced him to stay at Brown is the failure of Brisben Walker's hotchpotch university scheme. The bottom of that scheme having tumbled out, President Andrews evidently came to the conclusion that a bird in the hand is worth not only two but a whole flock in the bush. If the corporation of the university is satisfied and Andrews is satisfied the public will probably also be satisfied. He can return to his duties, and after the students have had their hurrah they will probably be in readiness to resume their severe and exacting curriculum of baseball, football, and rah, rah.

THE New York stock market yesterday opened fractionally higher and gained great strength, some of the stocks making new high records. Sterling rates were somewhat easier. New York exchange was at 50 cents discount.—The leading speculative markets were moderately active and ruled easy during the greater part of the session. As compared with the last prices of the previous day December wheat closed without change. December corn ⅝ cent lower, oats steady, cash rye ½ cent lower, barley easy, flaxseed strong, October pork 10 cents lower, lard steady, and ribs 7½ cents lower.

AUSTRIA IS TOO HASTY.

If a Vienna dispatch, printed in yesterday's TRIBUNE, is to be trusted, Austrian officials are as quick about arriving at conclusions while in ignorance of the facts as are the Social Democratic Anarchists of this and other cities.

Some of the strikers shot in Pennsylvania last week were Hungarians. It is quite probable that some of them never have been naturalized. It is proper that the authorities of the country to which they still owe allegiance should look after their interests if any wrong has been done them.

But according to this Vienna dispatch a high official of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs states that the government has done nothing as yet, for it has merely received a dispatch from the legation at Washington that some Hungarian workmen were fired on without provocation and killed. "When further detailed reports arrive our government is resolved to demand satisfaction for the violent and causeless killing of Austro-Hungarian subjects," the severe punishment of those responsible, and the payment of an indemnity.

It is assumed that the "further detailed reports" will confirm the assertion that the Hungarians who were killed were "fired upon without provocation." But supposing that assumption turns out to be erroneous, then what can the Austrian government do about the matter? Nothing. Therefore it would be more sensible and more diplomatic for the officers of that government to say nothing till they know all the facts.

The question whether Austro-Hungarian subjects have been "violently and causelessly killed" is one to be settled by American tribunals. If those tribunals find that the men who were shot at Lattimer met death while violating the laws of Pennsylvania and resisting the peace officers of that commonwealth, then the Austrian government must accept the situation just as it would expect this government to if an American subject were shot in Austria by the officers of the law while taking part in the doings of some violent mob.

It is probable that the Austro-Hungarian government is not aware of the kind of demonstrations that its subjects, domiciled in this country, are in the habit of indulging in often. If a squad of striking miners in Hungary were to set out to march to some other mine where men were working for the purpose of driving them from their work, they would find themselves confronted speedily by military forces, and if they did not obey at once without demur they would be charged on or fired on instanter. The lawlessness tolerated so often in this country would not be put up with for a day in Austria.

If, after investigation by the proper authorities, it is proved that the Sheriff and his deputies and not the striking miners were the ones who violated the law, they will undoubtedly be punished. But that punishment will have to be inflicted by Pennsylvania courts whose action cannot be controlled by the national authorities. So it will be useless for the Austro-Hungarian government to "demand the severe punishment" of persons whom they assume to be guilty. Pennsylvania juries alone can act in the matter.

It is probable that the Austrian government will decide to wait till it has learned all the facts before it assumes that the Hungarians shot at Lattimer were unlawfully shot, and makes "demands" based on that assumption. It would be awkward to make such demands and then discover afterwards, perhaps, that those men whose "severe punishment" was demanded were acting within the law.

LOW'S ACCEPTANCE AND PLATFORM.

Seth Low has formally announced his acceptance of the nomination for Mayor of Greater New York, tendered him by the Citizens' union, and now the question is whether the Republicans will have the good sense to indorse the nomination or, by making choice of some other candidate, play into the hands of the Tammany ring. The general declaration of principles of the union upon which he takes his stand is as follows:

> The municipal elections shall be entirely separate from State and national elections, to the end that the business affairs of the city may be managed upon their own merits, uncontrolled by national or State politics;
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> That the government of the city shall be administered independently of national or State politics, and that no candidate shall use his office for the benefit of any political organization;
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> That the civil service laws shall be enforced without regard to political influence;
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> That the city shall retain the ownership of its franchises and shall grant them only for limited periods, and that holders of franchises shall be forced to give the public adequate service at reasonable rates;
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> That better rapid transit facilities shall be secured without unreasonable delay;
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> That school accommodations shall be provided for all children of school age and that the efficiency of the schools shall be increased;
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> That the eight-hour labor day shall be enforced to all employés of the city, and its contractors, and that union wages shall be paid;
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> That the system of small parks, baths, and lavatories shall be extended;
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> That the best pavements shall be laid in the most densely populated districts;
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> That the laws providing for the better sanitation of tenement-houses shall be enforced;
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> That the streets shall be kept clean.

In his letter of acceptance Mr. Low avows himself a Republican and adds that he expects to remain one. He declares his belief, however, that the city's affairs should be administered on higher than mere party grounds, and that in making appointments to subordinate positions, in the event of his election, he will seek to choose men with an eye to fitness and the public good "without regard to race, religious belief, or political affiliation." A great advance in the science of municipal government will have been achieved if this ideal can be accomplished. At all events the experiment is worth a trial as a means of relief from the shameless abuses and extravagances by which a majority—if not all—of the larger cities of this country are now so grievously afflicted.

While a large majority of the press of all parties making any pretense to standing up for good government have generally accepted in advance the position which Mr. Low occupies, a few professedly Republican papers have seen proper to question the policy of Republicans accepting him as their candidate or giving him their support. It is gratifying to see, however, that in the important borough of Brooklyn, including Kings County, where a most bitter warfare has been made upon Mr. Low by the "machine men," the Republican committee, by the strong vote of 151 to 38, has declared in favor of indorsing Mr. Low.

What principle in the above quoted platform is inconsistent or in conflict with the principles of the Republican party it is absolutely impossible to conceive. If, however, such is the case, the judgment of impartial voters will be that it is so much the worse for the party. It is true there may be measures of Republican policy in national affairs which are not embraced in this platform, but are there any which apply distinctively to municipal government which have been omitted? If there are it is the duty of the Republican objectors to Mr. Low's nomination to point them out, and, if he should be the choice of the Republican convention, have them incorporated in its declaration of principles. Otherwise they concede that, so far as his candidacy for a municipal office is concerned, it is sound and unassailable.

The contest against Mr. Low in the Republican party seems so far to have been conducted on the principle of seeking revenge upon him or upon some of his more zealous supporters. This appears to have been especially the case in Brooklyn, where Mr. Jacob Worth, a friend of Low's, appears to have been the special object of attack, although the contest resulted in the indorsement of his (Worth's) candidate. The Republican party, not only of Greater New York but of the Empire State, will be placed at a great disadvantage if it can be truthfully said that its policy and the choice of its candidates for office are to be dictated by the whim or caprice of a single man or mere coterie of men for the benefit of themselves and friends and to gratify their spite against some one whom they believe inimical to their ambitious designs. The pending election of Mayor of New York City seems just such a case as is to determine whether that is to be the result or not. It is encouraging that the Republican press of New York, almost without exception as well as the friends of good government generally, are in favor of Mr. Low's candidacy.

THE INDIANA LYNCHING.

The black record of lynching for 1897 has been still further increased by the horrible affair which took place yesterday at Versailles, Ind. A mob of forty men from that region seized five men who had been arrested for burglary, and lynched them. For such a crime there is not a shadow of excuse, and every member of the mob who helped commit it should be brought to sure and speedy justice, and will be if there is any virtue in Indiana law.

If such a crime should be allowed to go unpunished it will only prove an incentive to the commission of more crimes of the same kind. It will also be promptly seized upon in the South as an excuse for lynchings in that section. From this point of view it is most unfortunate that this tragedy should have occurred in a Northern State, and that, too, at a time when a strong anti-lynching sentiment is beginning to manifest itself in the South, and many Southern lawyers, jurists, and public men have fearlessly denounced lynching and have been strenuous in their demands that there shall be no interference with the regular methods of justice. It will matter little also that the number of lynchings in the South far exceeds the number in the North, for of the 108 lynchings which have occurred in this country since Jan. 1, 1897, 97 of them have been in the South and 11 in the North. Of these eleven cases, one in Illinois can hardly be set down as a lynching, as the victim was not in the hands of the authorities, and those who killed the man were seeking only to arrest him and turn him over to justice, but found it necessary to shoot in self-defense. Two others of the eleven cases were in far away Alaska, where there are no courts. The Southern people notwithstanding this will hold up this Versailles inquiry as an argument against any criticism of their section, and it is a hard argument to answer, notwithstanding the frightful disparity in the relative number of lynchings.

As has already been said there is not the shadow of an excuse for this dreadful crime. If the people of Versailles and its vicinity feared that justice would not be meted out by the courts, or if the courts hitherto have failed in their duty it is the fault of the people, for they always have the remedy in their hands to apply to a failure of justice. If the lynching was purely an outburst of passion and resentment then five murders have been committed by this mob in five cases where the crime is not punishable with death. Whatever may have been the motive the lynching should not only be severely condemned as an outrage upon justice, but the authorities of Indiana should run down every man concerned in it, and punish him. An example of this kind in the maintenance and vindication of law will be the only answer to the taunt which will be sure to come from the South.

COURTS WILL NOT INTERFERE.

Judge Jenkins has promised to decide in a few days whether the temporary injunction restraining Postmaster Gordon from transferring the Superintendent of the Englewood station to some other position shall be dissolved or made permanent. If the Judge takes the same view of the matter as does Judge Cox of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia the decision will sustain the Postmaster.

Judge Cox holds in a case similar to the one at Chicago that the courts have no power to grant relief in matters of appointments and removals from office, that they cannot enjoin the Postmaster General from removing or transferring any of his subordinates, even though he should do so in violation of President McKinley's executive order, that no subordinate shall be removed without preferring charges and giving him an opportunity to make a defense.

Judge Cox takes the ground that this executive order in the subject of removals is not authorized by the civil service act, and is void as far as that act is concerned. The law has nothing to say on the subject of removals. Hence the President's order derives no efficiency from the civil service act, and the courts can under no circumstances be called on to enforce that order.

The right of the President to lay down rules which shall govern his subordinates in making removals is not disputed. He can make regulations on that subject as can the head of a business house. But the courts cannot enforce those rules. The President alone can do so. If the Postmaster General breaks one of them the party affected should appeal to the President, who can appoint a new Postmaster General who will obey his orders. No court can do anything for him.

Judge Cox is a believer in the merit system. He is inclined to regret that the civil service law does not provide for an orderly and just method of removal, such as is to be found in the Illinois civil service law. But the federal act is silent on the subject. Hence he refuses to give the force of law to Presidential orders, which he is of the opinion are not warranted by the language of the act.

This opinion may serve to call attention to the fact that the federal merit system has been built up mainly by executive orders. The act of 1883 does little more than create a commission and forbid political assessments. Successive Presidents, by orders which other Presidents presumably can revoke, have gone much farther than the Congress of 1883 dreamed of. It supposed the act would be made applicable only to some department clerks.

It is not likely that any future President may undo what his predecessors have done. Public sentiment has been educated up to that point where it would resent any such action. But many things which are not probable are possible. It would be better therefore if there were on the statute books a more comprehensive law than the one there now.

But it is possible that Congress as at present constituted would rather abolish than strengthen the merit system. The Gallingers and Grosvenors want to see it wiped out and the old spoils system restored. Nor are they the only ones who are of that way of thinking.

NO ANSWER FOR SIX MONTHS.

When the American Bimetallic commission submitted its proposals to the British government it was told that a reply should be forthcoming early in October. That promise is to be kept after a fashion. A London dispatch states that on the 6th of next month the commission will be informed that a full reply to its proposals will be made six months hence. The British government seems to be as firm a believer in the virtues of procrastination as the Sultan of Turkey. It may desire to delay its answer for six months in the expectation that silver will have become so much cheaper and so much more discredited than it is now, that a negative answer will be conceded generally to be the only one which can be given.

Another London dispatch states that most of the bar gold which has arrived recently from South Africa has been bought for shipment to India. Perhaps the Indian government is contemplating the advisability of putting that country fully on the gold standard. If that experiment should be tried successfully during the next six months, Senator Wolcott and his colleagues could not expect an affirmative reply to their request that the Indian mints be reopened to the free coinage of silver.

There is to be no answer for six months, and when it comes it will probably be an exceedingly polite refusal to do anything. Under those circumstances it hardly seems worth while for the commissioners to stay abroad any longer at government expense. If they wish to pay their own bills, of course that is another matter.

There does not seem to be anything more for them to do abroad. They have discovered that European governments will take no action until they have found out where Britain stands. That will not be known officially until next April. So the commissioners might as well come home and report progress.

THE RIGHT TO BEAR ARMS.

It is perhaps not to be wondered at that in the excited state of feeling prevailing in labor organizations in consequence of the events at Lattimer, Pa., a few days ago, some violent talk should be indulged in in the meetings of workingmen before the actual facts connected with the tragedy are fully made known. This was the case in the meetings of the Social Democracy held in this city on Sunday last, and something of the same sort occurred on the first day of the meeting of the Illinois Federation of Labor in session at Bloomington this week. In the latter resolutions were offered reciting the unconfirmed story of the Lattimer affair, denouncing the officers elected by the people as "a bloodthirsty gang of highwaymen and corporate thugs," and the judiciary as "their coassassins," advocating as "the only remedy" for these "evils" the "abolition of the courts," and virtually recommending the arming of labor organizations in order that they may be in a position "to combat with the hirelings of corporations." As might naturally be expected the authors of these violent and incendiary resolutions were the men who had been giving utterance to similar sentiments in the meetings of the "Social Democracy" in this city on Sunday last.

Translated into plain English these utterances mean the abrogation of all law and the substitution in its place of the rule of brute force backed by deadly weapons. And yet the most conclusive refutation of the claim that any such appeal to violence is necessary to protect the rights of law-abiding citizens, whether laboring men or otherwise, was furnished in the fact that such sentiments were uttered with impunity in the midst of a community in which law is recognized and upheld.

It is to the credit of the Illinois Federation of Labor that men were found in it to introduce and support such conservative and truthful resolutions as the following:

> Whereas, The trades union movement is menaced by the efforts of revolutionary agitators attempting to divert it from the true object of its organization, the assistance and encouragement of labor combinations in maintaining equitable wages and the enjoyment of those privileges upon which depend their welfare and prosperity as workers in opposition to greedy and unjust employers; therefore,
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> Resolved, That the Illinois State Federation of Labor unhesitatingly expresses its disapproval of all attempts to associate trades unions with agitation hostile to the institutions of the United States and our form of government, and regards as intolerable all efforts to connect them in any way with agitation in favor of impracticable socialistic theories and anarchism in any form.
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> Resolved, That the object of the Federation of Labor is to organize and strengthen trade and labor associations and assist them, by advice and material aid, in the struggles against the unjust exactions of unreasonable employers, and in the maintenance of these objects should receive the sympathy and support of all friends of good government.

It is probably too much to expect that such cool-headed and conservative sentiments as these will meet the approval of those who come together with the design of preaching anarchy and fomenting disorder and misrule, but the members of labor organizations will have done much to win the sympathy and support of law-abiding citizens of every class when they give evidence that their object is the maintenance of the law instead of its overthrow. The right of "the people to keep and bear arms" is protected by the constitution—which is the very foundation of all law—in order that they may serve in the militia. That capitalist or mine owner would be a fool who would employ a man who presents himself with a Winchester rifle in his hand when seeking a job, and the carrying of concealed weapons is in violation of law in all the States.

The affair at Lattimer, Pa., was undoubtedly a most deplorable one, but those who have been most prompt to assail the Sheriff and his deputies with the charge of murder are as ignorant of the actual facts as any of us. It is to be hoped that these facts may be fully brought out—and it may be necessary to do so through the very medium which the preachers of anarchy denounce as "coassassins"—the courts. If no other means answers the purpose the demand of the Austrian government for indemnity, already hinted at, may be hailed with satisfaction by law-abiding citizens generally.

The right of laboring men to unite for the protection of their common interests is unquestionable. It only becomes dangerous when it goes to the extent of invading the legal and individual rights of others, whether engaged in similar callings or occupying the relation of employers. The poor men whose lives were sacrificed at Lattimer, Pa., the other day would in all probability not have been in danger or lost a single right if they had not been influenced by incendiary ravings of such men as Debs and his anarchistic colaborers.

THE CIVIL SERVICE CONTROVERSY.

The squabbles between the Civil Service Commissioners and Messrs. Burke and Lutzenkirchen have caused Chicagoans who take an interest in the maintenance of the merit system to lose sight of the fact that there will be a controversy next month of a much more serious nature than that between Burke and Kraus.

That controversy is to be carried on in the State Supreme Court, which will convene in Springfield on the first Monday of next month. There are three questions, two of them of great importance, which the court will have to settle, and on its decision will depend the fate of the merit system in this city.

The first one is, whether the civil service law is constitutional, or is invalid because it "purports to confer judicial powers and authority to make and enforce judgments and decisions on a non-judicial body."

The second question is, whether the City Council can nullify the law by passing ordinances calling employés "officers," and designating subordinates "heads of departments" in order to swell the number of persons outside the classified civil service.

The third, and least important question, though it is the one out of which this legal controversy grew, is whether the present Civil Service Commissioners acted within the law when they decided that the Police Inspectors and the Superintendents of Water, Sewerage, etc., did not form part of the classified civil service, but were to be appointed by the Mayor.

The Attorney General filed his petition for a mandamus against the commissioners and the Chief of Police, asking that the latter be ordered to apply to the commissioners for the names of persons to fill vacancies as Inspectors, and that the commissioners be ordered to certify names. It is in Kipley's answer the point is raised that the law is unconstitutional for the reason given above.

The court will make short work of this contention. The general plan or scheme of the law cannot be held to be unconstitutional. The decisions are all the other way. If it be contended that the power given the commissioners to prepare charges against employés and dismiss them if the charges are sustained is a "judicial" power the answer is that the allegation is untrue. All that the law does is to substitute a just and regular method of removal for an arbitrary method. The employé in the classified civil service will be dropped because of his unfitness and not on account of his politics.

After the commencement of the suit the Council passed an ordinance declaring that certain "public officials"—fifteen Captains of Police and some district foremen being among them—shall be designated as "heads of principal departments" as said term is used in the civil service act. If the Mayor had not advised against it the Council would have gone much further. It was ready to designate every employé as a head of a department.

Can a city council construe a State law in such a manner as to take all the strength and virtue out of it? Can it by tricks and subterfuges abolish the merit system? The Supreme Court will hold that it cannot, and that it has attempted to exceed its powers in order to work an injury to the public.

The court is not ignorant of the spoils system, to do away with which the civil service law was enacted. It is not unaware of the wretched condition of the public service in this city while the offices were parceled out among the spoilsmen. It will recognize the fact that the civil service law is a salutary measure, and that when questions arise as to its scope the decision should be for and not against the law.

The court will not deny that the Council has power to create some new, legitimate department, and provide a head for it, to be appointed by the Mayor. But the court will not tolerate the assumption that the Council has the power to designate a Captain of Police as the "head of a department" in order to take him out of the classified civil service. If the Council were to pass an ordinance creating the "department of street cleaning in the First Ward," and provide for a head for that department, the courts would hold that ordinance was not passed in good faith—was not a legitimate exercise of power—and would set it aside.

Any attempt on the part of the Aldermen to set themselves up as construers and nullifiers of State laws will be set aside summarily. No ordinance passed by a pack of boodle Aldermen, to please spoils-hunting Democratic politicians, will be upheld.

There remains then, only the question whether the ruling of the present commissioners that persons holding the positions of Police Inspector, Superintendent of the Water office, etc., are under the law "heads of any principal department" will be upheld by the court.

It will be contended on behalf of the commissioners that a man like the Superintendent of the Water office, though only the head of a division of the Department of Public Works, is in reality the head of a department because he has complete authority over his division and his subordinates.

It will be argued doubtless on the other side that a department like that of police can have only one head, except where governed by a Board of Commissioners, and that the chiefs of the principal divisions of that department, no matter how many men they have under them, cannot be called heads of departments.

The probabilities are that the Supreme Court will decide against the commissioners. Then the scope and meaning of the law will be settled definitely for all time, and it will be settled that not even the Civil Service Commissioners can allow the Mayor to fill offices which the law has put out of his control. It is to be hoped that the court will decide promptly, and teach Chicago spoilsmen that there is no hope left for them.

> 'Tis a question of the links,
> Nowadays.
> 'Tis discussed between the drinks,
> Nowadays.
> Either Luetgert in his cell
> Or the golfers—O, so swell—
> Furnish all the things to tell,
> Nowadays.
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> Bilious outlook at the links,
> Nowadays.
> Out at Wheaton—ah, methinks,
> Nowadays!
> Will those trophies all go 'way?
> Will those Easterners get gay?
> Ever sausage playing—say!—
> Nowadays?

FIRST STORY OF LATTIMER RIOT

How the Shooting Occurred and Its Consequences—History of Strike Which Preceded It.

The following is the substance of the first account of what led to the shooting of the Huns and Slavs by the Sheriff's deputies near Lattimer, Pa., on the 10th inst. It is reprinted in order to see how nearly the report will tally with the testimony about being given before the Coroner's jury—viz.:

Hazleton, Pa., Sept. 10.—Riot was rampant today among the striking hard coal miners at Lattimer, and as a result 21 men are known to be dead and more than forty are wounded more or less seriously. For some time a strike of miners, machinists, and mine laborers has been in operation in the Lehigh Valley.

HOW THE STRIKE BEGAN.

The trouble between the coal operators and their employés, which has been brewing for months, came to a crisis on Aug. 18, when 2,500 men of the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre collieries went on strike. They had made demands upon the company which were flatly refused, and, as a result, the men quit work. These demands included an increase in the wages of miners, laborers, engineers, machinists, and firemen to correspond with the scale of wages in force in the Wyoming district of the same company.

The men also demanded the privilege of selecting their own physician, and in addition asked that Superintendent Jones, who had made himself obnoxious to the men, be transferred to another district.

From the start the foreign element, composed of Poles, Hungarians, and Italians, had control of the strike. The more conservative American element was outvoted on every occasion they attempted to urge a compromise, and were eventually terrorized by their fellow-strikers.

The latter paraded the district for miles every day, visited every colliery where men had declined to join the strikers, and forced them to quit work. As a consequence of the reign of terror that prevailed the company engaged the services of a number of Deputy Sheriffs, who, fully armed, guarded the companies' collieries day and night.

Beginning with the employés of the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal company it gradually extended itself until within the last few days it included almost every mine in the extensive Lehigh Valley. Most of the strikers are foreigners who do not speak the English language, and the methods they adopted in conducting the strike were such as to spread terror among the peacefully disposed residents of the valley and to require the employment of hundreds of armed Deputy Sheriffs by the coal companies.

This morning a large number of the strikers, composed mostly of Hungarians and Poles, met at a place called Harwood, where they held an impromptu meeting and were addressed by several of the leaders of the strike. The speeches were evidently of a nature to inflame the minds of the ignorant foreigners.

As a result they started out to terrorize and coerce the miners engaged in the strippings that were at work today. At Crystal Ridge and other places other strikers joined the band, whose numbers were considerably augmented by stragglers picked up on the line of march.

The first trouble began when the army of strikers reached Hazel mines, where the strippings of Cuyle Bros. are situated. Here a stop was made and a few men sent forward to induce those at work to throw down their tools. In this they were unsuccessful, and then followed a mad charge by the strikers upon the workers.

FIRST FIGHT WITH THE RIOTERS.

About a score of Deputy Sheriffs was on hand, and immediately a fierce hand-to-hand conflict ensued. The strikers used stones, bricks, pieces of old iron, and other missiles. The deputies refrained from firing and used their rifles as clubs to keep their assailants at bay.

One of the strikers was seriously injured in the mêlée, receiving a broken arm. He was cut and bruised about the head and face. A physician was called to attend to his injuries. He, together with another injured companion, was arrested and brought to the station-house.

The strikers then marched on, intending to reach Lattimer and Milnesville before nightfall. The deputies were hurried forward with all possible haste in that direction by way of the traction cars, and reached Lattimer in advance of the strikers.

At about 3:30 o'clock word was brought to the waiting deputies that the advance guard of the strikers was coming over the turnpike. Three companies of deputies were then drawn up across the roadway, barring further progress of the strikers.

Sheriff Martin was in command. He stood in front of the line when the strikers appeared.

When the strikers had approached in force the Sheriff read the riot act and commanded them to disperse and return to their respective homes.

This the strikers refused to do, and, urged on by their leaders, charged upon the Sheriff and the posse of deputies. In a moment the order to fire was given, by whom it is not quite clear, and was promptly obeyed by the deputies.

The report seemed to shake the hillsides, and a cry of dismay went up from the strikers. They scattered, those of them who could move, and another volley was fired into the retreating and disorganized band, killing and wounding several.

Sheriff Martin, when seen tonight, said that he did not give the command to fire and did not know who did.

PERSONAL.

This season, for the first time in thirty years, Rosa Bonheur exhibited some of her pictures in Paris. She lives in great seclusion all the year round near Fontainebleau, and the reason given by her for not exhibiting in Paris is that she has no need of pursuing such a course, as all her pictures are sold before they are finished. Her exhibits this year comprise four pastelles, and the fact that all are dated 1897 shows remarkable energy and industry on the part of a woman who is 75 years of age.

Viennese papers record the death, at the age of 70, of an artist named Anton Batsche, who became famous among dealers for his remarkable skill in restoring damaged art works and antiquities, in such a way that even experts were often deceived into believing that they had an unimpaired original article before them. He was finally so much feared that some museums refused him admission, fearing that he might imitate and duplicate their curiosities. But while some of the dealers who engaged him doubtless made improper use of his work to deceive amateurs, he himself was the soul of honesty and did not merit such a suspicion.

King Oscar of Sweden is said to bear his age so well that no one would suspect him of being 68 years old; nor would any one fancy him to be a King, judging by his affability and utter absence of hauteur. When he has guests he jokes and gossips as with his equals, grasps them by the arm or pats them on the shoulder in a confidential way. He occupies much of his leisure in writing poems, but does not publish them. Of his four sons—Gustav Adolf, Oscar, Karl, and Eugene—the third is declared by court ladies to be the handsomest Prince in Europe. [The Kings will all have to come to that sooner or later if they want to retain their jobs. They must play hypocrite and demagogue and lie and pretend. The divine right rôle is about played out.]

FUNNYGRAPHS.

"Papa, I wish you'd whip me." "Whip you, my son? Why should I whip you?" "Because, when you whip me, mamma gives me some jam."—Tit-Bits.

"Do you know, I'm quite worried about myself. I really believe I'm losing my nerve." "How do you notice it?" "I'm getting so I hate to ask any one for a loan. As soon as I saw you I began to tremble."—Life.

Said Biddy: "The mistress brought home some oysters. 'Cook,' said she, 'ye'll stew these, plase.' 'What, like praties!' said I. And then the ould woman blayguarded me becase I biled them with their jackets on."—Household Words.

"No, we don't permit our names to go in the directory, don't you know." "And why not?" "So deuced common, don't you know. Why, last yeah my name was sandwiched in between a garbage collector and city Councilman! It's a fact, 'pon honah."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Evening After the Reunion.—Miss Ethel (innocently)—"Why, Mr. Brown, how sober you are tonight." The Rev. Brown (in some alarm, absent-mindedly)—"Tonight, yes; but "—recovering himself and with much dignity—"have you ever seen me otherwise, Miss Ethel?"—Harlem Life.

Summer Grip.

The doctors state that the cool nights have produced a number of cases of what is called "summer grip." It resembles in nearly every respect the regular influenza, although the patients do not suffer quite so much. It is felt in the same way by pains in various parts of the body, a cold in the head, backache, and possibly with a tinge of rheumatism in the limbs and particularly the joints.—Washington News.

RUSSIA'S HOLD ON CHINA.

STRONG NOW AND CONSTANTLY GROWING STRONGER.

The White Czar's Wish Is the Dominant Influence with the Pekin Government—How It Helped the Belgians—English and Americans Shut Out of the New Contracts—Railroad from Pekin to Tientsin Opened for Traffic.

Pekin, July 20, 1897.—This country is drifting along just as it has always drifted. The Emperor, shut up from the outer world, and surrounded only by a court in which women and eunuchs play the principal part and wield the principal influence, leaves the government to the great boards, each containing many members, and each as a practical instrument of administration more inefficient than the other. Reforms cannot be had, and even a change for better or worse seems to be impossible. Custom and conservatism are the rule, except where the Russians choose to intervene, and then "what they say goes," while nothing else does. There is now no denial of the fact that Russia, having indorsed the Chinese Emperor's notes, guaranteed the first installment of the Japanese war indemnity, and entered into a secret treaty to build a railroad through Manchuria and to protect the empire against the "ravening wolves that threaten to destroy it," is the dominating if not the suzerain power of eastern Asia. No Chinese statesman or high official dares to stand up against Russian demands, or even against Russian suggestions, and so it is that what Russia says "goes" here, and what any other nation says does not go, except by Russia's permission. This fact must be considered as the key to every question with which the government has to do, or in which any foreigner is interested.

The Treasury crisis already indicated in this correspondence is becoming more and more acute. The proceeds of the foreign loans heretofore negotiated have been expended, the revenues are insufficient, and bankruptcy of the imperial treasury is inevitable unless additional loans can be raised.

It is reported and believed here that the government agents are in the market for a new loan of 100,000,000 taels at 5 per cent, and that they expect to sell their bonds for this amount to the English banks at about 95, and this is given as the explanation for the demands of the Belgian syndicate for a modification of its late contract to build the Pekin-Hankow railway.

It is now known that the Chinese officials to whom these demands were referred were at first bitterly opposed to any modification whatever of the terms, and demanded peremptorily that the contract as originally signed should be strictly adhered to—that the Belgians should sesoumethe, or sédémethe, and it looked for a while as though the Chinese would prevail, but "they counted without their host." The forgot that the Russians were their masters, and that they had given their approval and support to the Belgians—that the latter were, in fact, the agents, if not their partners, and could not be turned down with impunity.

Russia the Real Master.

And this explains why, after giving it out to the world that the Belgian syndicate had declared itself unable to carry out its contract and that the same had been or would be abrogated, the Chinese officials have listened to their real masters and are about to sign a new contract with the despised Belgian syndicate, which also includes the Cockerill steel and iron works. This new or revised contract provides for a loan of £4,250,000 at 4 per cent, the bonds to run thirty years, to be paid for in gold at 90, and to be secured by a pledge of the railroad only. It also provides that the syndicate shall furnish half the supplies and materials and have a commission of 5 per cent on all that are used, whether the materials are furnished by them or are bought in the open market. Shengtaotai, the agent of the Chinese officials and the director of imperial railroads, is to furnish 13,000,000 taels of additional capital, to be obtained from the imperial and provincial treasuries and from Chinese corporations and merchants, and he is also to have the absolute control of foreign as well as native officials, agents, and employés. At least it is so stipulated, and so it will be till the Russians choose to order an exception to be made in the case of such as are appointed by the Belgian syndicate. Then it will be changed.

The new contract has been ready for execution several weeks, but the proposition for the English loan above referred to coming to their knowledge, the syndicate rightly enough claimed that the bonds which the English are to buy, bearing a higher rate of interest and resting on the faith of the imperial government, would not only be taken first, but would prevent the sale of the 4 per cent bonds for the time being. This seemed reasonable, and an effort was made to arrive at a proper measure of damages. The Belgians claimed that the Chinese should pay them 2,000,000 taels. Sheng and the government thought this was an outrageous demand and protested that they should not pay anything, but again the Russians were at hand to intervene for their Belgian friends, and thereupon a compromise was reached by which the latter are to receive something like 1,500,000 taels extra and are to pay certain preliminary expenses which the railroad administration is supposed to have incurred, but which is probably intended as solatium to the wounded feelings or opposition of some high Chinese official.

Thus the matter rests at present, but what will be the outcome of it all must remain uncertain. Where Sheng is to get the money he has undertaken to raise, and the expenditure of which in work upon the railroad is to become the first security for the bonds to be issued on it, cannot yet be stated with certainty. The well-known distrust of Chinamen of every grade for each other, and especially for those in authority, is just as strong now as it ever was, and hence old China hands here venture the opinion freely that the Chinese part of the capital will never be raised, unless the imperial and provincial governments furnish the whole of it. Obviously they cannot do this unless they have the money in hand from loans or revenue, and even in that event they may not do it unless the agents of the great White Czar say again they must.

New Railroad Opened.

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SAY EAR IS HUMAN.

Two Experts in the Luetgert Case Give Evidence.

THIGH BONE A WOMAN'S.

Dorsey and Pierce Go Into the Scientific Details.

DEFENSE CALLS IN ECKLEY.

Schaack and Bailey Undergo Brisk Cross-Examination.

STATE NOW IS NEAR ITS FINISH.

Adolph L. Luetgert's prosecutors won yesterday afternoon the greatest victory they have scored since the trial began. Dr. George A. Dorsey, assistant curator of the department of anthropology at the Field Columbian Museum, positively identified as a section of human skull a large piece of bone from the furnace room at the Luetgert factory. The bone, he declared, contained the internal canals of the human ear and the traces of nerves and blood vessels. This piece of skull, the hardest part of the human skeleton, was so far intact that the chief expert for the defense, Dr. Allport, acknowledged after a brief examination that it was part of a temporal bone, though he refused to assign it to the skull of any particular animal.

The identification was made doubly sure by the State's experts carefully splitting the bone in two, so as to expose the inner ear. After this was done the parts were submitted to Dr. Norval H. Pierce, an expert in diseases of the ear, who corroborated the identification on the witness stand.

Not from a Lower Animal.

Dr. Dorsey thinks there is no possibility of this fragment of skull being confounded with the corresponding bone of one of the lower animals. The character of the bone would determine its human identity, even if the shape and size of the bone did not. The bone has been so little eroded that the openings for the nerves and blood vessels and the bony processes for the attachment of the muscles, which are characteristic in the human skull, are easily made out.

Attorney Vincent is not decided yet whether he will even bring out on the stand through his experts that the fragments of bone is a temporal bone. This he announced after the defense's experts had spent over an hour examining the structure. The defense is going to summon another expert, Dr. W. T. Eckley, demonstrator of human anatomy in the Northwestern Medical College. The manner in which this telling piece of State's evidence is assailed will depend largely on his opinion of the fragment.

Like a Woman's Thighbone.

The piece of skull with the human inner ear was not the only bone which Dr. Dorsey identified. A piece of thighbone, which had not been brought into court before, Dr. Dorsey stated in his belief was part of a human bone, probably of a woman.

"I have been forcibly impressed with the fact that these bones all agree in size," Dr. Dorsey testified, in response to Mr. McEwen's questions. "I conclude that they came from the same individual. From the size of these bones, more particularly this fragment of temporal piece, I should say the bones had belonged to a woman's skeleton."

Dr. Dorsey was summoned because a large part of his work and his reputation as an anatomist and ethnologist was made by identifying fragments of the bones of human beings and domestic animals from the prehistoric mounds of Ohio. These bones were all mixed together, and had lain in the earth, some of them, for 600 years. He has collected and identified skeletons from nearly every part of the Western Hemisphere. He was formerly a teacher of comparative anatomy at Harvard. Neither Dr. Dorsey nor Dr. Pierce ever had been on the witness stand as experts before, and had expressed themselves privately as not caring a picayune for the case outside of their desire to tell the truth and get away.

Luetgert Watches It Closely.

Dr. Dorsey was the first witness called in the afternoon. He told the jurors the names of the institutions with which he had been connected. Then Mr. McEwen brought out the clinching evidence for the State's corpus delicti, the fragment of temporal bone, sealed in a tin box. Luetgert watched it as if it were a bombshell, as the State expected it would be. The bone never had been mentioned in court before.

Attorney Vincent tried to have the bone excluded as evidence before any testimony was taken on it, because its connection with the vat or the furnace had not yet been shown. Assistant State's Attorney McEwen explained that would be brought out later, and the expert was allowed to go ahead.

Why He Thinks It Human.

The bone was shown to the jurors, and Dr. Dorsey described it minutely, and told why he was certain it was human. He pointed out the mastoid process, the bony projection behind the outer ear, which was almost intact in spite of fire and alkali. His demonstration was so lucid even Attorney Vincent acknowledged he had made the best impression of any of the State's experts. This was after he had failed to shake the evidence of Dr. Bailey, who had identified several other bones.

The sawed edge of the bone was shown to the jury, and Dr. Dorsey explained the ear canals, which were fairly intact. He had found a soft substance in one of the openings in the bone, which, he stated, was in his opinion the facial nerve. The cellular structure confirmed his belief.

It would take 600 years for bone to reach that condition buried in a mound like those he examined in Ohio, he said. In some ways it resembled these bones, the animal matter having all been removed from both.

Bring in the Femur.

Dr. Dorsey outlined the shape of the temporal bone for the jury on his own skull, and at the same time another bone and more clinching evidence for the State were produced. It was a whitened piece of thigh bone, nearly one-third of the whole length.

"I believe this to be a part of the left human femur," said the witness, and he proceeded to substantiate his statement by showing the distinguishing points that were fairly well preserved. While he explained the bone was passed to Luetgert's attorneys and came to Luetgert himself.

Dr. Norval H. Pierce followed him on the stand and corroborated his testimony. He had found part of the fibrous sheath, he said, which once covered the auditory nerve. It would take ages, he said, for the bone to get its present appearance by lying in the ground.

Dr. Bailey, working osteologist of the Field Columbian Museum, and Inspector Schaack both were cross-examined by Attorney Vincent.

Ruling a Blow to the Defense.

The State won an important point by the court's ruling that no bones similar to the State's evidence could be shown to the jurors. That took away one of Attorney Vincent's best props. Dr. Robert A. Howes was asked only a few questions by Attorney Vincent.

The State will conclude its case by tomorrow noon, it is expected. After the cross-examination of Dr. Dorsey and Dr. Pierce, Mrs. Tosch, Mrs. Feldt, Frank Bialk, and one or two others will testify to the motive for the alleged crime, and then the State will rest.

BAILEY IS CROSS-EXAMINED.

Expert on Bones Undergoes a Running Fire of Scientific Questions by Attorney Vincent.

At the opening of court Professor Bailey resumed the stand and the cross-examination on behalf of the defense was again taken up by Mr. Vincent.

Mr. Vincent attempted to take the witness over a list of scientific works, and asked him as to his familiarity with them, and whether Dr. Karl Felix was mentioned in any of them; but on the objection of Mr. McEwen the court ruled out that examination.

Q.—What English authorities do you refer to that you speak of? A.—Give us their names. A.—Gray and Holden.

Q.—Any others? A.—No, not necessarily.

Takes Up Exhibit 13 "C."

Q.—I now show you exhibit 13 "C." I believe you identified that as the second tip of the fourth human toe, stating it is the proximal extremity or part nearest to the body. Why do you describe it in this way? A.—From its breadth and from the articular surfaces.

Q.—Are the same articular surfaces not present in the phalanges of all animals having metacarpal bones—having phalanges? A.—No, sir.

Q.—In what way do they differ? A.—The way that the endon is articulated under here (indicating). It could not do it in a dog. It could not do it in a cat. It could not do it in a hog or sheep.

Q.—Now describe in what way this differs from the others? A.—Well, the surfaces agree almost entirely with one taken and compared from a human being. On the other side here where the tendon attaches they are attached to either side and they come forward to the center of the rounded part, and this shows there has been a compression there; that the tendon coming from the toe was compressed in that shape and that no animal but one wearing a shoe could have had such a depression as that.

Human Rib Is Discussed.

Q.—The bone which I now present you (handing same to witness) I understand you to identify Saturday or Monday as a portion of a human rib, and I understood you to say that you identified it because it has two articular surfaces or two demi-facets, by which the rib articulates with the piece of vertebra; is that right? A.—Yes.

Q.—Please state how you identify that rib as a part of a human body? A.—From the foramen which appear in it.

Q.—Will you please explain what that means, as we go along? A.—The foramen is a small hole which goes into a bone through which it produces its blood supply. All bones have them.

Q.—Well, then, it is not characteristic of the human rib alone? A.—O, my, no.

Q.—Now I am simply asking you what makes you identify this as a human rib? A.—Well, its general size, the two facets. In most other animals, speaking very generally, they more resemble the socket joint than this does. The surfaces are somewhat different.

Q.—Name other animals which have ribs with these same characteristics? A.—Apes.

Q.—Would you confine it to apes? A.—No, I won't confine it at all. I say the same thing here. If I see this piece of bone alone I would not say what it belongs to. I do not think any living anatomist would.

Q.—Isn't it characteristic of all mammalia that they have two facets on the upper ribs? A.—Yes, but the facets differ in shape.

Q.—And yet you use that as a means of identifying that as a human bone? A.—I do.

Shows Another Human Rib.

Q.—I now hand you a bone, which we will call defendant's exhibit "X," and I will ask you to tell me if you know what that is? A.—It might be a portion of a rib.

Q.—Of what animal? A.—I would not want to say.

Q.—Will you compare it with the other, please, and see if you can say? A.—Why, I would not any more identify this alone than I would this one (indicating).

Q.—I think you said on Saturday or Monday that the exhibit of the State, 13 "C," you gave the number of the rib, did you not? A.—I said it might be the third or fourth.

Q.—Well, now, the piece of bone which I have given you to the end of the third or fourth rib of a woman weighing about 110 pounds. I will ask you to examine those two bones as to their density. A.—They appear very similar.

Q.—You would not recognize the piece of rib which I gave you, would you, alone, as a piece of a human rib? A.—O, dear, no.

Q.—Well, the bones, if your theory is correct, are exactly the same and came both from females and both from the same rib. Now, which seems to have the greater amount of cancellous matter? A.—I could not state now positively the difference between them.

Bones Not Exhibits Thrown Out.

Attorney Vincent asked the court that the jury be given an opportunity to inspect both of the bones referred to, but Mr. McEwen objected to any bones going before the jury that were not admitted as exhibits, and objected to indiscriminate comparisons of bones not in evidence, and the objection was sustained by the court.

How He Identifies Them.

Mr. McEwen then took the witness on the redirect examination and asked the professor how he was able to identify these bones as human, but Mr. Vincent objected, stating that Mr. McEwen had been all over that, and that it would simply necessitate another long cross-examination, and the court ruled that while he did not want to go over it again, the witness might answer this question.

A.—Well, I have examined each one; have killed and examined dogs, and have examined almost every other animal, trying to place them in the animals. I can find bones in the animal kingdom which could coincide almost exactly with any single bone, but I take into consideration the whole thing, that those bones were all found in one place. The sesamoid of a dog would have the size of a kneecap, and would not have a phalanx the same size.

Mr. Vincent objected to the witness going on, as being a restatement of what he said on direct examination, and the court ruled that he could not go over that again.

Mr. McEwen—What I wanted was a general statement. I think he gave it, though.

The Witness—It is this: that the animal having bones of that delicate size must have been there to show that they were all there together, and the only animal that I can place them in, having all these bones, of that relative size, was a human being.

Mr. Vincent asked the court to strike out the evidence on the redirect examination on the ground that the State had been over that on the direct, but the court overruled his motion.

SCHAACK AGAIN ON THE STAND.

Attorney Phalen Goes into an Exhaustive Cross-Examination of the North Side Inspector.

Inspector Schaack was recalled and cross-examined by Attorney Phalen.

Mr. Phalen brought out the fact that Inspector Schaack had given Bialk and Odorofsky and Faber money to support them and their families, and that he had given to Bialk $75, that he received money from the State's Attorney, and paid out $200 in all. The court said he would not go into the details of the matter, that these were poor people and had to be kept alive, and it was a very proper and absolutely essential thing to do. The defendant excepted to the remarks of the court. Mr. Deneen said the County board appropriated $2,500 for preparing the case for trial.

Mr. Phalen—Were you in the basement the day before Luetgert was arrested? A.—Luetgert was arrested on Monday and I was in the basement on Saturday.

Q.—You found a piece of skull somewhere, didn't you? A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Where did you find that? A.—It washed out from the vat and ran on the floor.

Q.—Are you acquainted with the bones of the human frame? A.—I have seen hundreds of skulls.

Q.—This without any hesitation you pronounced to be a skull? A.—I looked at it and I said it was a piece of skull.

Q.—What portion of the skull was it? A.—I couldn't tell. It showed on the side a place where I would call it knitted together. I knew it was a piece of skull.

Q.—You think a human skull? A.—I think so.

Q.—What did you do with that piece of skull? A.—I put it carefully into an envelope and handed it to Professor Delafontaine.

Q.—Look at No. 13 "C." A.—This, I take it, is the proximal phalanx of one of the toes, probably the middle toe, although it might be the fourth toe.

Q.—When you say toe you mean toe of the human being? A.—Human being.

Q.—Considering these several exhibits together, what do you say as to their comparative size? A.—I have been forcibly impressed with the fact they agree in size.

Q.—What conclusion if any do you draw from the agreeing in size of these several exhibits? A.—That they came from one individual.

Q.—And what was the individual in your opinion? A.—A human being, and probably a woman. This is more apparent to me from a bone I have not produced here.

Q.—You speak of a bone which you have not produced; what bone do you refer to? A.—This in the box.

Q.—Where did you get that bone? A.—This bone came from one of the officers yesterday afternoon.

Q.—What opinion have you, if any, regarding the identity of that bone, to be marked people's exhibit 19? A.—I believe this to be a portion of the left human femur, or thigh bone. It resembles no other bone of the animal.

Mr. McEwen—Have you considered that bone in connection with the bones of the ox, the sheep? A.—I visited the boneroom of the Field Museum and examined skeletons. I don't know that I read a single label of any skeleton. I don't know that I can say what skeleton we were in that hall, but I went through them from one end to the other.

Q.—Can you tell anything about the age of that bone? A.—That is the bone of an adult. It has the appearance of having been in the fire.

Q.—What do you say about the size of this bone as compared with the bones submitted to you—exhibits 12, 13, A, B and C? A.—That bone seems to be undoubtedly that of a female.

Q.—How does that bone correspond with the several exhibits shown to you in size? A.—It corresponds in comparative size.

CALLS IT A TEMPORAL BONE.

Dr. Norval H. Pierce Declares the Piece of Skull to Be from a Human Being.

The State then called Dr. Norval H. Pierce, a specialist on diseases of the ear, throat, and nose, who was examined by State's Attorney McEwen.

Q.—Are you competent to distinguish bones of the head surrounding or near the ear? A.—Yes, competent to identify any bone of the skull.

Q.—Will you please look at people's exhibit 18, and state whether you have seen that before? A.—Yes. I saw that last Monday afternoon, in the possession of Dr. Dorsey, at my office.

Q.—What, if anything, was done with the bone at your office? A.—I sawed the bone.

Q.—Have you any opinion or judgment as to the identity of that bone? A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—What is that opinion? A.—I believe it to be the left temporal bone of a homo (human being).

Q.—Do you see any characteristic features of that bone on the specimen you have before you? A.—Yes. Those features relate to the exterior of the bone and to the internal portion of the bone, as disclosed by sawing.

The witness gave a technical discription of what he found.

Q.—These bones are not in their normal condition? A.—By no means.

Q.—Can you form an opinion from your examination of them what they have been in contact with? A.—Some caustic; probably potassium hydrate.

Q.—What is the ordinary term of potassium hydrate? A.—I think it is crude potassium.

Q.—Of a caustickind? A.—Yes, sir.

The court—Commonly called crude potash? A.—Crude potash.

Mr. McEwen—What is the effect of that upon the bone? A.—It deprives it of its animal matter.

Q.—Will a bone exposed to the elements or buried in the earth lose its animal matter by contact? A.—Not like this bone. Not for ages, and probably never.

VINCENT SAILS INTO HOWES.

Osteologist and Articulator Makes Admission About His Work in Ann Arbor—Not a Janitor.

The witness Paul D. Howes, who was examined last week on direct, was recalled for cross-examination by Mr. Vincent. Howes said he was an articulator of bones. He had been employed at the Chicago Homeopathic College, the Chicago Medical College, Chicago College of Physicians and Surgeons, and the College of Dental Surgery.

Mr. Vincent tried to get the witness to say he had been a sort of a janitor, but Howes insisted he was an articulator, osteologist, and consulting engineer. He did not lecture or give instruction, but mounted skeletons.

Q.—Did you ever attend any medical college as a student? A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—What college and how long? A.—One year at Ann Arbor, two years with the Chicago College of Physicians and Surgeons.

Q.—Did you ever matriculate as a student at the College of Physicians and Surgeons? A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Did you ever graduate and get a diploma? A.—No.

Q.—Why didn't you graduate and get a diploma? Weren't you more fond of engineering than you were of practicing medicine? A.—No, sir. I was more fond of osteology, or comparative anatomy, than the practice of medicine.

Q.—You had been a year at Ann Arbor, hadn't you? A.—That didn't cut any figure.

Q.—Did you matriculate as a student in the Medical College at Ann Arbor? A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Are you clear about that, didn't you know that they would not allow you to matriculate there until you were 21? A.—I think perhaps I am mistaken.

Q.—You think perhaps you are mistaken as to whether or not you matriculated at the medical college? A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Then you were not a student at Ann Arbor, and did not study medicine there for a year? A.—I am not positive.

Mr. McEwen—When you were at Ann Arbor did you attend lectures at the medical college? A.—Partially.

HAWTHORNE HITS THE DEFENSE

Its Cross-Examination Another Apparent Victory for the State—Luetgert and the Bone.

[BY JULIAN HAWTHORNE FOR THE NEW YORK JOURNAL.]

I am once more constrained to chronicle an apparent victory for the State. I say "apparent" because, as has frequently happened before, many of the statements damaging to the defense were elicited by the defense itself in cross-examination.

The matter in hand was the State's bone exhibits; and the morning was given up to Mr. Vincent's attack on Professor Bailey, who was also the protagonist last Monday.

The upshot of it all was the witness' evidence was strengthened; for though Professor Bailey is quiet and laconic enough if you let him alone, when he is hammered he emits sparks; or, as the vulgar speech hath it, he gets his Irish up. Knowledge obtained by original research is a hard thing to buck against, and it is very amusing to observe the consternation of scientists of the caliber of Professor Allport, when a man who knows things of his own self-acquired knowledge betrays his indifference to the statements of the book authorities. The cross-examination of Bailey, which Vincent delivered and which Allport fathered, was like nothing so much as the questioning which might be applied to a schoolboy by a sophomoric visiting committee. Bailey appeared to have forgotten more than Allport knew, and yet had enough knowledge remaining to clinch beyond cavil every assertion that he had made on direct examination and to add a few more which had been omitted on that occasion. But, as in the case of Professor Delafontaine, his ignorances were superb. . . .

Vat Held Human Bones.

The prosecution, by its own questions and by Mr. Vincent's, has proved over and over again, up to the hilt, in the positive evidence of men acknowledged to be leaders in their specialty, that the vat in Luetgert's factory contained, at a period after the alleged murder, the bones of a human being, and that this human being was a small woman, who wore tight shoes.

The defense—or rather the State—called Inspector Schaack, at which there was a stir of interest, for we are all pining to see the scrapping match between him and Mr. Vincent.

But after the Inspector had identified half of a tooth, for Mr. McEwen's benefit, and had said that he had opened the windows of the factory during his investigation there, because the windows were so dirty that the light wouldn't come through; when this had been ascertained it was Mr. Phalen and not Mr. Vincent who rose to cross-examine. . . .

Phalen Snubbed by the Judge.

But as soon as it appeared that Mr. Phalen's object was to draw from the Inspector a confession of having bribed and intimidated witnesses, he entered into trouble; and the trouble proceeded not from the Inspector, who was ready enough to answer anything, but from the court. In my experience of courts I have never happened to witness so severe a snubbing as this court found it necessary to administer to Mr. Phalen.

"Now, I'm not going into these details," interposed his Honor, very decidedly; "these witnesses are poor persons, and they have to be kept alive."

"It's very improper——" began Mr. Phalen.

"It's perfectly proper," returned the Judge. "Have you any animosity against the prisoner, Inspector?" "No, I never heard of him before this affair."

The final catastrophe did not come, however, until he began to question the Inspector with reference to the Grottey incident in New York, which was decided to be inadmissible two weeks ago.

"Now," said his Honor, turning in his chair so as to look full in the face of the attorney and speaking in tones of resolve, not to say severity, "this line of examination must stop right here." He put an acute accent on every syllable, and looked very grave. Mr. Phalen stopped, stared, stammered, and finally came out with, "Of course, I bow to your Honor's ruling," and really seemed quite disconcerted, as well he might.

Now, the story of the afternoon is quite interesting not only in the evidence it introduced but in the men who gave it—Professor Dorsey and Professor Pierce. They went over the bones, and identified them even more positively than the former identifiers; and before doing it they had been forced by Mr. McEwen to confess to so many exploits and honors in the scientific field, and particularly in the department of osteology, that I can neither recall them, nor should have space to write them down if I did. . . . They made a very good impression. . . .

Luetgert and the Thigh Bone.

The only thing noticeable that Luetgert did during the day was to get hold of something alleged to be his wife's thigh bone and smell it carefully. I don't know whether he expected to recognize her by that means, or whether he merely meant to show the jury his nerve. At all events, he did it.

We then adjourned willingly, for this has been the hottest day yet.

BRINGS A MRS. LUETGERT YARN.

Christ Fathan Talks at Waukesha About Knowing the Missing Woman at Helena.

A story came from Waukesha, Wis., yesterday to the effect that a man giving the name of Christ Fathan, Helena, Mont., stopped there on his way to Chicago and declared he was going to spring a surprise on the State in the Luetgert case. He says he had been well acquainted with Luetgert in the old country, and that Luetgert's wife was at present stopping at his home in Helena, Mont., as the guest of his wife.

The story did not create great interest in Chicago. Attorney Phalen, for the defense, said he had never before heard of Christ Fathan, and that he was disposed to consider the report of no more value than hundreds of others of similar import which the defense has investigated at great cost from the time the trial began. Moreover, he admitted the defense has no idea whatsoever as to the whereabouts of the missing woman.

"We have investigated a countless number of these reports," said he, "but they have all been without foundation. Of course, if any other likely ones come up they will also be investigated; but they will have to come with a better recommendation than this one. Coming as it does at second hand, I think it will scarcely pay to waste time upon it."

Luetgert was shown the telegram from Waukesha last night in the jail. He said: "I don't know this man Fathan and can't say much about it."

Helena, Mont., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—No trace can be found of any one by the name of Christ Faihan in this city. So far as known no one here has any knowledge of Mrs. Luetgert.

PATTON CASE SET FOR TODAY.

Garbage Contractor Baillargeon Is Promised Protection and Will Testify Before Grand Jury.

G. J. Baillargeon, the former garbage contractor who has made charges of bribery against Dorsey Patton, former City Sealer, was summoned before the grand jury yesterday. Baillargeon agreed to tell his story this morning on condition that he was given guarantee against prosecution. The State's Attorney's office accepted the proposition. Baillargeon alleges that Dorsey Patton while City Sealer accepted a sum, variously estimated from $250 to $1,250, for using his influence to secure certain garbage contracts for Baillargeon from Health Commissioner W. R. Kerr.

Secretary Sherman Going to Ohio.

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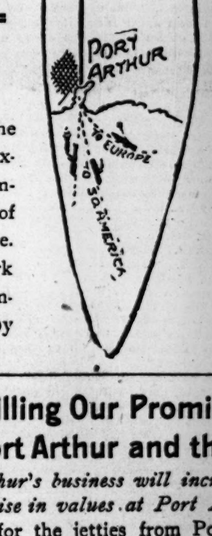

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THAT STORM WAS NOT SO BAD, AFTER ALL.

The following telegram from Mr. F. A. HORNBECK, Land Commissioner Kansas City, Pittsburg & Gulf Railroad, was received yesterday:

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 14, 1897.

J. J. GRAFTON, 415 Marquette Building, Chicago:

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AMONG THE NEW BOOKS.

AN ATTEMPT TO APOLOGIZE FOR SHAKSPEARE'S IMMORALITY.

E. J. Dunning's "The Genesis of Shakspeare's Art" Is Based Upon the Far-Fetched Hypothesis That the Great Poet's Sonnets Contained Some Hidden Allegorical Meaning—Theory Both Disingenuous and Nonsensical—Anecdote of Edison.

HE sonnets have always been a stumbling-block to the ardent admirer of Shakspeare, because the subject seems to cast black aspersions upon the character of the poet. It is the most natural thing in the world, therefore, that men like Edwin James Dunning, the author of "The Genesis of Shakspeare's Art" (Lee & Shepard), should desire to discover some explanation which shall be consistent with a lofty conception of Shakspeare's moral nature. Unfortunately, like most apologists, Mr. Dunning tries to prove too much, and in consequence he succeeds in proving nothing at all.

If Shakspeare's readers would only accept the facts of the case as they stand plainly revealed in the sonnets they could then draw their own conclusions as to the guilt or the purity of the poet's passion. It is at least an open question, and we might well give him the benefit of the doubt. But these too fervent admirers of the great dramatist are the very persons who fasten a stain upon his character by showing us that they cannot take his sonnets literally without finding in them the most damaging confessions. And so they invent allegorical interpretations which do credit to their hearts, but argue a decided lack of judgment and common sense.

It is quite impossible to believe that if Griffin, or Drayton, or any other of Shakspeare's less famous contemporaries had written the sonnets any one would have taken the trouble to find in them a deep hidden meaning. They have all the trademarks of the conventional sonnet cycle. The varying moods of the first period are precisely the same moods that we find in other similar collections of amatory verse. The poet is alternately adulatory and strictly truthful; he deplores the poverty of his own talents, and in the next breath declares that his verse will be an everlasting monument in honor of his beloved; he dares to chide his "master-mistress" for her unkindness, but incontinently turns the other cheek to be smitten. All this we have heard a hundred times from the love poets of the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries, and if Shakspeare was allegorizing, then Sydney, Drayton, Griffin, Smith, and the rest wrote allegories too, and we must be born again in spirit before we can understand a word of Elizabethan poetry.

In the second period Shakspeare strikes a deeper and more resonant note. And here we have something more than the everyday sonnets of the poet who is either in love or thinks that he ought to be. Yet even so, there is no more symbolism in his language than there is in all great poetry or great music, which always is capable of various interpretation. In the third period the poet comes down from his high pedestal to sing of a new love that is neither pure nor greatly inspiring. And this is the stumbling-block which cannot be removed by any explanation upon the part of Mr. Dunning or any other apologist. If the sonnets are really a history of the development of the poet's ideal, how is it possible for the ideal to sink so low in the last period?

But this notion of an ideal instead of an actual object of affection is hopelessly wrong even at the outset. If the youth of the poems is only a symbol for the ideal beauty of verse, how is it possible for that ideal to grow old and decay? How can an ideal commit even trifling indiscretions? How is it possible for the poet's love of the ideal to bring shame upon the object of his affections? How could an ideal be outwardly beautiful but inwardly corrupt? And could the perfection of beauty grow common? Yet all these things are predicated of the youth in the sonnets, who is indeed very far from being perfect except in outward seeming.

No one can deny the thoroughness and cleverness of Mr. Dunning's work, nor can one fail to be struck by his earnestness of purpose less than one is irritated by the utter fatuity of the understanding. To deal with his argument in detail would not only be a waste of time but a tacit admission that an allegorical interpretation of the poems was within the range of possibility. Lovers of cryptograms and mathematical problems may find a certain pleasure in following out the intricacies of an argument that starts from absolutely false premises. Shakspeare himself, if he could hear from his grave, would have little cause to thank those disciples who think that his honor can only be defended by putting his most beautiful sonnets on a level with the puzzle page of a weekly paper.

It will come with considerable surprise to many that the "Wizard" of electricity has essayed to earn a living in the ranks of journalism. The account as given by Mrs. Sarah A. Tooley in "The Life Story of Edison" in the new Temple is instructive and somewhat amusing:

"Having been so successful as a newsseller Edison lost no time in becoming an editor and publisher, and like Garrison—

"What need of help? He knew how types were set. He had a dauntless spirit, and a press.

"True, Tom Edison's press only consisted of a disused set of type purchased for a nominal sum, and his combined printing office and editorial sanctum was a dilapidated luggage van, but it possessed an advantage of which even Printing House square cannot boast—it was migratory. The van converted to this novel purpose was attached to the train on the Grand Trunk railway, of which the young editor was newsboy, and appropriately enough the paper was entitled the Grand Trunk Herald. A further venture was Paul Pry, in which, if one may be excused a pun, the editor 'pryed' into things in too free a manner; and some individuals, incensed at his fun at their expense, dipped him into the river to cool his imagination. Further disaster followed when one day a phosphorus bottle upset in his laboratory and nearly set the train on fire. The conductor promptly removed Edison and all his apparatus, printing and chemical, on to the platform at the next stopping place.

"It was a bitter moment, of which Mr. Edison cannot think without feeling over again the sense of utter hopelessness and desolation which came upon him when he saw the train whirling off while he stood alone and forsaken amongst his broken gods, his ear tingling with a brutal box which injured his hearing for life."

Fresh Literary Notes.

Richard le Gallienne's version of Omar Khayyám's "Rubaiyat," is to be issued in London some time during the month.

The leading feature of the September number of "Tales from Town Topics" is Harold R. Vynne's novelette, "Fetters That Bear."

sips genially of many other Englishmen of note.

Guy Boothby has written a new story of the Australian "black blocks," which is to be published at an early date under the title of "Sheilah McLeod."

Sir Ellis Ashmead-Bartlett's forthcoming volume on Greece is to be called "The Battlefields of Thessaly." He dedicates it to the Turkish soldiery, calling them "gallant, highly disciplined, patient, indomitable."

Aubrey de Vere's "Recollections" may be expected within a very little time. The author has known not a few of the great figures of his time. In his early days he was frequently a guest of Wordsworth. With Newman and Manning he was naturally on intimate terms, being of the same faith. A chapter is devoted to their letters and to reminiscences of them, and Mr. de Vere also gos-

William Rossetti has for some time past been engaged upon a new book of the nature of a family record, more especially as regards his brother Dante Gabriel and his sister Christina. It comprises extracts from letters, diaries, and similar documents, with remarks by the author and surviving brother, but not any continuous narrative. This record goes up to the death of Mrs. Dante Rossetti (born Siddal) in February, 1862, and in due time will be published.

Mrs. Amelia Koehler, who died recently in Mount Vernon at the age of 62, always claimed that to a chance remark of hers was due the composition of "The Last Rose of Summer." When little more than a child she attended a school kept by a sister of Thomas Moore, and it was when the poet was visiting the school that the young girl plucked a solitary rose and presented it to the poet with the words, "Now I have given you the last rose of summer." The poet caught at the phrase, wrote the now familiar verses at their inspiration, and dedicated the poem to Amelia. Mrs. Koehler, who was a native of Aix-la-Chapelle, and was, as a child, a pet of General Blücher, leaves descendants to the fourth generation.

BISHOP HOW'S THREE PUNDITS.

How the Bishop, Dean, and Canon Discussed a Difficult Passage.

In a letter to the Churchman eulogistic of the late Bishop How of Wakefield, England, Bishop Potter quotes a playful skit entitled "The Three Pundits," written by Dr. How, and aimed at Bishop Ellicott, Dean Alford, and Canon (afterward Bishop) Wordsworth. It is as follows:

A Bishop, a Dean, and a Canon, they say,
Were discussing a difficult passage one day.
Said the Canon, "I rather
Agree with a father,
And fancy I see
A profound mystery,
Which confutes, when unraveled, with stringent austerity,
Modern impugners of Catholic verity."

Said the Dean: "It is clear
There's a knotty point here;
And I really can't say
That I quite see my way.
The Germans, no doubt,
Have found it all out:
Ah, no! But the Canon is wrong, I am sure;
So it's best, as we find it, to leave it—obscure."

Said the Bishop: "To me
The solutions seem three,
Which I'll call a, b, c.
In favor of a
There is much to say;
Something for b,
And a little for c.
Against a I find
Reasons strong to my mind;
But by stronger ones yet
B and c are both met.
And so, when the three I impartially weigh,
I'm disposed to give in my adhesion to a."

It was thus that the Canon
Patristical ran on;
It was thus that the Dean
Halted doubting between;
It was thus that the Bishop
The meaning did fish up;
It was thus that Dean, Canon, and Bishop, they say,
Discussed that most difficult passage one day.

The Bishop and His Bun.

The Bishop of Worcester, England, once had occasion to travel through Banbury by rail. Being desirous to test and at the same time to encourage the far-famed industry of that town, and the train having stopped for a short time at the station, he beckoned to a small boy standing near at hand and inquired the price of the celebrated buns. "Threepence each," said the boy. The Bishop thereupon handed him sixpence and desired him to bring one to the car, adding: "And with the other threepence you may buy one for yourself." The boy shortly returned, complacently munching his Banbury, and, handing the threepence in coppers to the Bishop, exclaimed: "There was only one left, guv'nor."—Baptist Union.

Washington's Wool Clip.

Washington's wool clip for 1897 amounts to 6,000,000 pounds.

SHORT STORY OF THE DAY.

A Gardenia.

BY BLANCHE KENDELL.

THERE it lay in the box where he had placed it ten years ago, its delicate petals now all brown and shriveled, and yet exhaling a sickly, sweet perfume. Why is it that the scent of a particular flower, or the sound of a particular piece of music should, above all other things, have the power of recalling to our recollection long-buried and forgotten episodes in our lives, with a vividness that makes it seem but yesterday that we heard the music, that we inhaled the flower's fragrance?

As Geoffrey held the gardenia in his hand he was once again walking by her side along the river path in the red and golden sunset. In his ears were the lapping of the lazy current against the grass-fringed banks, and the cry of the peewit circling overhead; once again he felt the touch of warm fingers nestling in his own strong grasp, listened to the music of her voice as she whispered shyly back his words of love. And the ten intervening years between then and now—years full of events, of the restless, stirring activity of a busy man's life—faded away as if they had never been. He stood again in the first flush of youth and success, with the golden future spread out before his ambitious eyes, to conquer and make his own.

After years of weary scribbling at so much a line, luck had come at last, and he had awakened one morning to find his name in all the newspapers, and himself a famous man. "The Toilers," so he had named his work, ran into six editions. In it he had put all the restless yearnings, the wild hopes, the bitterness of repeated disappointments and deceptions, which had fretted those years of his early youth. He was dubbed socialist and freethinker by those to whom plain facts, crudely presented, are always unpalatable. The controversy and criticism his novel excited proved its best advertisement, and secured for its author the reputation he had so long toiled for.

A few months later he met her at a smoking concert of the X club. How distinctly he saw her standing in a plain white muslin frock, which showed her neat ankles, her pretty, fair hair falling in loose curls on her shoulders, her round, rosy face all dimpling in smiles. In a low, clear voice she sang a pretty little French love song.

Her name was Lulu Craik. He had often seen it figuring on the giant poster of a well-known music hall, where she had made her début a few weeks previously. Since then nearly all London had applauded the little newcomer to the halls, with her fresh voice, her pretty ways, and a distinct naïve personality of her own, which established her a favorite at once. After that evening he had often called at the dingy Bloomsbury lodgings where she and her invalid mother lived, and very soon he had learnt her short, simple story from her own lips.

Her father, a retired naval Captain, had died a few years ago, leaving his wife and child penniless save for the meagre pension allowed them by the government. He had married beneath him, so his relations considered, and they had ignored the marriage persistently. Then her mother's health had failed; she had gradually become an infirm invalid, and at the age of 20 Lulu found herself called upon to work for both. A friend, who had heard her sing, got her the introduction to Mr. Thompson, the well-known manager of the Salisbury Music Hall, and induced him to offer her a trial engagement.

After her successful début the engagement was continued, to the unbounded delight of Lulu, who felt launched on the high road to fame and fortune. At 20 life is made up of happy possibilities and rosy prospects. Gradually Geoffrey found himself drifting into love with the pretty, blue-eyed little siren. He was quick, too, to notice how the childish face would light up at a sight of him, how her moods varied from an almost feverish animation to a sudden shyness, when she would lift wistful eyes to his, while the color came and went in her soft cheeks.

For six months, quite a long time out of a man's busy life. He sometimes thought of a possible marriage between himself and Lulu; but there were so many drawbacks in the way. This marriage would be no help to him to realize his dream of social ambition. It was a mistake to handicap oneself at the start, and forge chains which hereafter might prove galling; and though he admired her immensely, even loved her a little for the sake of her charming personality, and for the pleasing knowledge that she was not indifferent to him, still those were hardly sufficient reasons for making her his wife.

If she had possessed wealth, position, or any other worldly advantage things might have been different; but as it was, bah! away with all foolish thoughts and fancies! In the sultry July days of that summer Lulu's mother, whose health was declining fast, had pined for escape from the stifling city atmosphere, and Geoffrey had come forward and offered to help with a small loan to enable her to rent a cottage in a little frequented neighborhood on the river. There the invalid at first rallied wonderfully.

Lulu's engagement at the Salisbury Music Hall had terminated. Her voice, never a very strong one, had suffered by the continual strain put upon it, and she had been advised a rest as a cure for the hoarseness which now marred its charm.

In the colorless monotony of these weeks Geoffrey's frequent visits stood out as brilliant landmarks. He would often run down on Saturday and spend a pleasant afternoon or evening idling by Lulu's side. Out in the country his idyll had found its appropriate setting and gained an altogether new charm in his eyes.

It was so agreeable to walk with the pretty, gentle-faced girl by the side of the river, under the shade of the great trees, and to sit with her in the meadow of an evening, holding her hand, while the stars came out one by one above them in the clear sky and the air was all sweet with the scent of clover and young grass.

On that particular day a sudden thought had made Geoffrey stop and buy a bouquet of gardenias he saw in the window of a florist. Lulu had once said that gardenias were her favorite flowers. How pleased she would be, and his heart beat a little quicker at the thought of her smiling, blushing face.

He would give her the flowers with a few appropriate words. He was in a tender mood that day. That morning he had received an offer by cablegram to tour in the United States and lecture, and the terms offered were brilliant enough to exclude all hesitation on his part. He would go and earn fresh laurels. Yes, life was altogether a pleasant thing, and Lulu was a little darling.

When he reached the cottage Lulu opened the door to him, her face grave and anxious. Her mother was not so well, but, thank God, she seemed freer from pain and was now sleeping. It needed little persuasion on Geoffrey's part to get his little lady-love to come out for a stroll by the river, and the gardenias had produced all their desired effect and had called up the smiles afresh to the pretty face.

She had stuck them in the blue sash of her white summer frock, and, swinging a big garden hat in one hand, the other imprisoned in Geoffrey's, had wandered bare-headed by his side along the familiar river path amidst the familiar witnesses of their love comedy—the rushing river, the rustling trees overheau, and the myriad wild flowers which dotted the meadow.

They had sat down on their old seat under the oak tree and Lulu had turned her face a little way to watch the purple and golden glory in the west. The wind stirred the soft, fair curls—how pretty she looked, the glow of the sunset falling on her upturned face. Geoffrey had suddenly thrown his arm around her, had kissed the unresisting lips. "Lulu, I love you!" and she had given a little sigh of utter content and had nestled in the arms which held her; and so they had sat in a paradise of their own creation till the twilight threw its soft gray cloak over river and meadow.

On the way home she had taken one of the gardenias from her sash and had fastened it in his buttonhole, and he had kissed the little trembling fingers softly, tenderly. Their parting had been a little hurried. Geoffrey must catch the train to get him up to town in time for an appointment with his editor. "Till tomorrow, darling! till tomorrow!"

The next day, instead of Geoffrey, there came a telegram to say "he regretted—unavoidably prevented by business—writing;" and in the little cottage by the river a young girl sat sobbing her heart out for the letter which never came, and the bouquet of gardenias, kissed and wept over how many times a day, stood withering, mute witnesses of what had been.—Madame.

JOB FOR A PAINTER.

[From the Cleveland Leader.]

Dear Uncle Fred: Paw painted part of our stable day Before yistady. He would a painted it all if it Hadent a Bin for a accident.

When He got About three Boards painted maw come out to see How he was gitten along and when she looked at Him she says:

"I thot you was agoin to paint the Stable."

Paw was up on a ladder and he stopped and looked at Her like if He diden't no What she ment. Then He says:

"Well, ain't a painten it? If you Don't like this Here job, mebby you Better take Hold and finish it yourself."

"O, you're doin all rite," says maw, "only it seems to me it would Be a little Better if you'd git more paint on the Barn and not quite so mutch on yourself."

"Huh!" paw growled. "I s'pose you Think that Blame funny, don't you? Why, I seen that old gag in The papers twenty years ago."

"O not that long ago," says maw.

"Why not?" Paw ast.

"Becos you never read the Papers, then," says maw. "It's only since we Got married and I want to Be Sociable or tney's somethin you ought to Do around the House that you git so Bizzy readen papers you Don't Have no Time for anything else."

"That's What Thanks a feller gits," Paw says, "for tryin to Do things. If you told the truth, How does it Come I'm Up Here now?"

Paw was tickled by that shot and He kind of Whirled around on one foot to See How maw was agoin to take it. But the ladder give a slide, and Down she Went with Paw hollerin ter Maw to ketch the Blame Thing.

Maw she jist yelled and run away, and paw Come Down kersmash on the Paint Bucket, and upset it, and the stuff run all over His neck and nearly smothered Him Before He Could git untangled out of the ladder.

We was all purty scared. But it Diden't Hurt him much, so when we was leaden Him into the House he says to maw:

"Well, I Hope you're Happy now. You Coulden't a stayed in the House Where you Belonged because they wasen't nobody in there to make your tongue waggle. I s'pose the only thing you're Sorry about is that I didn't Git my neck Broke."

Maw she Diden't say a word. I Gess She must a Been purty full of remorst.

They's a Job Here fer some painter now.

GEORGIE.

Marriage a Lottery.

Parson—"Does you take dis man fo' bettah or wuss?"
Miss Snow—"I can't tell yit, sah."

NEW YEAR AT CHAMPAIGN

STATE UNIVERSITY OPENS UNDER FLATTERING AUSPICES.

Eighteen Hundred Students Are Enrolled, Showing an Increase of Twenty Per Cent Over Last Year—Law and Medical Departments Are in Working Order, as Is the School of Pharmacy—Additional Professors Employed.

Champaign, Ill., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—The year of '98 was opened at the University of Illinois here today under the most favorable conditions. The enrollment of students in all departments amounted to nearly 1,800 persons. This is nearly 20 per cent increase over last year's record.

The usefulness of the university has been augmented by the addition of the law and medical schools and the college of pharmacy. The faculty has been enlarged by the addition of fourteen persons, five of whom are women.

Violet D. Jayne, Ph. D., is the dean of the women's department. She received her degree of B. A. from the University of Michigan in 1887 and that of Ph. D. from the University of Minnesota in 1897. She has taught English literature in the normal schools of Wisconsin and California.

Miss Katherine L. Sharp takes the chair of library economy and the direction of the library. She is a graduate of the Northwestern University and of the New York State Library School at Albany. For several years she has been in charge of the Library School at the Armour Institute.

Mary L. Jones, A. M., is also an instructor in this department. Her alma mater is the University of Nebraska. She is also a graduate of the New York State Library School. Miss Agnes S. Cook will be in charge of the department of rhetoric. She is a Wellesley girl, and received the degree of A. B. from the University of Chicago in 1896. Miss Allison Mary Fernie will be the instructor in vocal music. She was fitted for this work by her courses in the Royal Academy of Music in London and the Universities of Bonn and Weimar in Germany.

Work of Male Instructors.

Of the male instructors George T. Kemp, Ph. D., and George E. Gardner, A. M., will devote their time to the medical and legal departments respectively. Mr. Kemp is Professor of Physiology. He received his A. B. in 1883 from Johns Hopkins University and Ph. D. from the same place in 1886. He studied in Leipsic and received his M. D. from Long Island Medical College in 1888. Mr. Gardner graduated from Amherst in 1890, having been admitted to the bar in 1887 in Massachusetts, where he afterward practiced law for several years, contributing liberally to the law journals throughout the country.

Charles E. Pickett of this city will also instruct in law. His B. A. was earned at Rochester in 1883 and he was admitted to the bar in Chicago in 1886. He was assistant librarian of the Law Institute for six years. Judge A. O. Harker, Judge Burroughs, and Judge C. G. Neely will give lectures on law throughout the term. Arthur C. Howland will be the instructor in ancient and medieval history. He received his A. B. at Cornell in 1893 and had a traveling fellowship in 1894, 1895, and 1896. His Ph. D. was given by the University of Pennsylvania in 1897. Chester W. Rowell, Ph. D., the instructor in German, is a graduate from the University of Michigan. His degree of Ph. D. was gained at the University of Berlin in 1896. He spent a year at the University of Halle.

ROBERT COLLYER MAY RETURN.

Former Pastor of Unity Church Is Expected to Fill a Temporary Vacancy.

The Rev. Robert Collyer will again be seen in the pulpit he occupied for more than a score of years, unless there is a hitch in the plans of the trustees of the Unity Church, Dearborn avenue and Walton place. It is expected the aged pastor will preach for several weeks to his old congregation and aid the officers in the work of restoring its former success.

The time for reopening the church has already passed, but the congregation finds itself without a pastor. For the last three years the Rev. Benjamin R. Bulkley has occupied the pulpit. During his summer vacation he accepted a call to Beverly, Mass. He is an Eastern man, a graduate of Harvard, who formerly preached at Concord, Mass., and seized the first opportunity of returning to New England.

A meeting of the members of the church has been called for this evening to act upon the resignation of Mr. Bulkley and to take some steps toward securing a successor. During the interim the trustees are counting upon the services of their old pastor. Dr. Collyer was one of the first pastors of the church, and directed the efforts which resulted in the rebuilding of the present church at Walton place and Dearborn avenue after the old structure was destroyed in the fire.

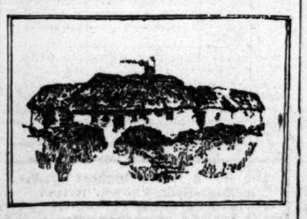
The aged preacher is now the pastor of the Church of the Mesiah in New York. It is hoped his colleague, the Rev. M. J. Savage, will take entire charge of the work there, and let Dr. Collyer return to the scene of his former labors. The old pastor is wonderfully popular in Chicago, and is expected to revive the failing interest in the church.

William Elliott Furness and George W. Brown, members of the Board of Trustees, were seen yesterday afternoon. They stated that they had been informed Dr. Collyer could come to help them in their difficulty, and expected him about the first of October. They expressed a hope that the church might be opened before then, with some one supplying the pulpit. There has been some talk of allowing the church to remain closed for the present because of financial difficulties, but both trustees seemed to think that improbable.

ENVELOPE OPENER AND PENCIL.

A handy article for the desk or pocket is a combination envelope opener and pencil. This is not a mere toy, but an article of practical, every day use to man, woman, or child. This is gotten up in nickel-plated holder, with a thin knife edge on one end for opening letters or cutting the leaves of magazines, while at the other is a pencil which can be supplied with any of the leads. This handy combination is also made in silver, with pearl cutter, for gift purposes.

HOME OF AN IRISH FARMER.



This tumble-down cottage is considered a commodious residence in some of the Donegal villages. The reader may infer what the less prosperous farmers call a home.

Julia Connell Cared For.

Julia Connell, the demented New York spinster who has been confined at the Harrison Street Station, was yesterday placed in charge of her sister, Miss Mary Connell, who arrived from New York during the day.

A HEN ON A LITTER OF PUPPIES.

WORK FOR ALL WORKERS.

New York City Never Had So Few Idle Men as at the Present Time.

New York, Sept. 13.—Here is a cold fact. There are fewer idle workingmen in the city today than there have been at any time in years past. There is more work to do everywhere. This applies not only to the trades which employ only skilled labor, but to all the enterprises where labor of any sort is required. There are today fewer idle day laborers than at almost any time in the history of the city.

The superintendent for one of the largest employers of labor in the city said to a Sun reporter yesterday:

"There is no reason why any honest man who is willing to work should be out of employment in the City of New York today. Of course there are shiftless men and men who won't work when they have the chance, and there are dishonest ones who don't get the chance, but the percentage is small. They have none but themselves to blame."

Prosperity isn't the exclusive property by a long shot of the farmers who have wheat to sell. While there has been no great increase in the wages of any class of labor, the average wage paid today is as high as it ever was, and the average cost of living is lower than it ever was. In nearly all those trades where the wages were reduced during the inordinately hard times the old wages have been restored since the first of January last. In those trades where this has not been done it is only a question of a short time when it will be done. The employers say this, and the employes believe it.

The reports of the various trades unions in New York show an increase in the number of men employed today over a year ago of nearly 35 per cent. The heads of various trades unions who have been asked to estimate the number of unemployed say that of labor of all classes there is less than 5 per cent unemployed today, against from 30 per cent to 50 per cent one year ago.

The improvement in the condition of the laboringmen began shortly after the last election, when Bryanism was beaten. Since the improvement began there has been a steady growth. Just at the moment there is a special boom in the unskilled labor market in the city, owing to the change of motive power on several of the street railroads controlled by the Metropolitan Traction company and the Third Avenue railroad company. The traction company is changing its motive power on several cross streets, and on Madison avenue, and in this work alone there are more than 7,000 men employed. Thomas E. Crimmins, who has the contracts for the work on the lower end of the line, employs more than 4,000 men. There are engaged on other labor of a similar nature in the city at the present moment more than 3,000 men, so that in this industry alone 10 per cent of the 100,000 men who were unemployed a year ago are employed now. These men are for the most part unskilled laborers. But they are men of more intelligence than the ordinary unskilled laborer, and they do the work that it used to be necessary to hire skilled iron workers to do. They get better wages than the ordinary unskilled laborers.

KANSAS REFUNDING HER BONDS.

Interest Reduced from 7, 8, and 9 Per Cent to 4 This Year—Hard Blow to Bryan and Calamity Howling Silverites.

Topeka, Kas., Sept. 12.—Something more than $2,000,000 bonded indebtedness in Kansas will be refunded during the present year and the interest reduced from 7, 8, and 9 per cent to 4 per cent. The Legislature of 1887 passed a law authorizing counties, townships, or municipalities to refund their bonds thereafter at the expiration of ten years from date of issue, whether they be due or not. The law was passed for the purpose of enabling the people to take advantage of a better money market, should one happen to exist.

Over $2,000,000 in bonds was issued in 1887, mostly in aid of railroads, all of which, under the provisions of the law referred to, can be refunded this year. In many instances arrangements to refund have already been made. Money is so plentiful this year that the bonds can be placed at a rate of interest as low as 4 per cent. Eastern money is in the State now seeking investment in good bonds at that figure. The State School Fund Commissioners announce that they will purchase a great many of these refunding bonds. Next year the ten-year limit will expire on more than $1,000,000 bonds, and within the next five years about $4,000,000 in bonds can be refunded.

TALK BY KINDERGARTEN EXPERT

Mrs. J. N. Crouse to Explain Her System to the Catholic Woman's National League.

Mrs. J. N. Crouse, principal of the Chicago Kindergarten College, will talk to the members of the Catholic Woman's National league next Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in Handel Hall. Her subject will be: "What the Kindergarten Does for Mother and Child."

Those in Mrs. Crouse's audience who desire to ask questions regarding the subject are requested to do so. If such questions be written, each on a separate slip of paper and handed to Mrs. Thomas L. Dillon, chairman of the department of education, they will be answered by Mrs. Crouse at the close of her talk.

STILL CANADA BUYS OUR IRON.

Decrease of Canadian Imports from England — Result Described as Disappointing to Englishmen.

Montreal, Que., Sept. 12.—A cable dispatch from London says that in the four months since the new Canadian tariff went into force the British exports to Canada, under the new preferential rate, declined £171,553, or 14 per cent. Imports from Canada have increased 17 per cent.

These figures are in comparison with those of the same period last year. The dispatch adds that the result is "disappointing." The greatest decreases are in iron and manufactures of iron and clothing. The decrease in the iron trade with England is due to Canadian purchases in the States.

HUNGARY'S ROYAL BONES STOLEN

London Daily News: Extraordinary discoveries have been made in Hungary with regard to the spoliation of the graves of the ancient Kings. In 1869 the archæologist, Koloman Henzelmann, searched for the graves of these long dead rulers, which had been disturbed and partly destroyed by the Turks during their dominion there in the Bishop of Stuhlweissenburg's garden. Stuhlweissenburg is the old coronation city. He found a number of stone coffins and was able from the inscriptions to ascertain that they were those of the old Kings. He gave them to the care of the city authorities after copying the inscriptions and fastening tickets with them to each skull. The Mayor seems to have put all the grisly treasures pell mell into five large packing cases and to have thrown the sarcophagi away. In 1872 the present Mayor of Stuhlweissenburg learned that there were bones in the loft of the town hall. What was to be done with them? He examined the skulls and found what they were. He addressed himself to the Chapter of Stuhlweissenburg and the packing cases were nailed up and placed in the vaults of the cathedral, and one of the deans was made responsible for them. He never seems to have troubled about them, however, and a drunken sexton became the real caretaker.

The Kings to whom the bones and skulls belonged which are now in such a deplorable condition, or altogether missing, are St. Emerich, the son of St. Stephen, first King of Hungary; Kings Stephen, Koloman, Bela, Geiza II., Ladislas II., Stephen V., Bela II., Ladislas III., and several other Princes of the Arpad line. There were also of the line of Anjou Queen Mary, wife of Robert Charles, her son and her husband, Kings Albert, Ulysses, Louis II., and John Zpolya, whose corpses Achmed Pasha had flung out of the vault in 1543.

Bad Strike in Colorado for Teller.

Woodland Park, Colo., Sept. 12.—Ore running $20,000 to the ton has just been found one mile west of this place. Pieces of quartz the size of walnuts were taken out which were half gold. There is great excitement among mining men. It has not been demonstrated yet whether the rich ore is float or the apex of an ore chute.

KIPLEY'S FACE IN CASES.

"OUR CHIEF" IS A CIGAR THAT ADORNS SALOONS OF FAITHFUL.

Drink Dispensers Are Urged by Maker Goldwater and Two Policemen to Keep in Stock the Delight of the Superintendent's Vanity—Pressure Brought to Bear in the Harrison Street District — Objection Is Emphasized by Certain of the Dealers.

Chief of Police Kipley has found a new way to keep his name and face before the public. He has been made famous by having his picture, in the full uniform of General Superintendent of Police, placed upon the cover of a cigar box. The cigars are named "Our Chief," and this alone is supposed to be sufficient to insure for them a large sale.

The manufacturer of the new cigar is Joseph Goldwater, 223 West Chicago avenue. Both Goldwater's factory and house are within a stone's throw of the West Chicago Avenue Police Station, where Kipley was formerly Captain.

In securing the consent of the Chief to allow his picture on the cigar box cover Goldwater evidently made a lucky hit, as he has so aroused the "pride" of the Chief that he is anxious to see his face beaming from every cigar case in the city. To this end he has allowed two officers to accompany Goldwater in his trips about the city and assist in the sale of "Our Chief."

Particularly has this been true in the levee district and of other portions of the First and Second Wards where saloons of shady reputation are allowed to run. A few days ago Detectives Quinn and Gallagher, traveling out of Chief Kipley's office, visited certain places in the levee district with Goldwater and induced the keepers to purchase quantities of "Our Chief" cigar.

A day or two ago Goldwater complained to Chief Kipley that "Our Chief" was meeting with poor success in the Harrison street police district. Last night an old officer at the Harrison Street Station said that word had been quietly passed along the line that it would be a good thing to give "Our Chief" cigar a little boom.

In this wise is the Chief's vanity tickled, but many of the dealers urge strong objections to their share in the flattery process.

BISHOP HURST IS PRESIDING.

He Addresses the Central Illinois Methodist Conference and the Epworth League.

Canton, Ill., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—The second session of the Central Illinois M. E. Church conference opened at Canton at 9 o'clock this morning, with Bishop J. F. Hurst presiding. The Bishop, assisted by a number of elders, administered the sacrament of the Lord's supper to a large number of ministers and laymen. This opening service was impressively spiritual.

The Bishop made a brief address, giving expression to his pleasure in again meeting the conference. He briefly reviewed the great missionary triumphs of the church and inspired the conference with this hopeful picture. He paid a glowing tribute to the energetic persistence of the Methodist preacher.

The call of the roll showed few absentees, there being 340 in attendance. The organization of the conference was then effected by the reëlection of H. K. Metcalf as Secretary, who has filled this office for seven sessions. L. F. Cullom was elected Statistical Secretary. Thomas Doney was elected Treasurer.

The characters of all the effective elders of Galesburg, Kankakee, and Normal districts were passed, save those of R. A. Brown of Normal, F. H. Cumming of Pontiac, and Job Bell of Streator, against whom charges have been preferred.

Bishop Hurst addressed the members of the Epworth league tonight in honor of the anniversary. Miss Libbie Hamsher assisted him.

Peoria, Ill., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—The Peoria Baptist association is holding its twenty-sixth annual meeting at Brimfield. Officers were elected as follows: Moderator, the Rev. R. A. Sargent, Peoria; Clerk, John Elliott, Canton, Treasurer; J. G. Piper, Canton.

The German Reformed churches of central Illinois and Iowa begun their classes here yesterday; officers were elected as follows: The Rev. J. Debees of Baileyville, chairman; and the Rev. A. F. Beyer of German Valley, stated secretary. The opening sermon was preached by the Rev. C. Veenkes of Sibley, Ia.; and the Rev. C. F. Hastedt of Detroit, Mich., preached tonight.

Waybrook, Ill., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—The thirty-third annual session of the central Illinois conference of the United Brethren Church assembled here today, with attendance of fifty ministers and many visiting church people. The conference is presided over by Bishop Castle, D. D., of Indiana.

Bloomington, Ill., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—The conference of the Methodist Protestant church assembled today at Ohio, Ill., with 100 ministers and delegates present. The principal work will be to assign pastors for the ensuing year.

Kalamazoo, Mich., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—The sixty-second annual session of the Michigan Methodist Episcopal conference convened in this city today. Bishop John H. Vincent is the presiding officer. Four of the nine Presiding Elders made reports, which showed a favorable increase in membership and church extension, and a healthy financial condition. The proposition to reduce the number of districts from nine to seven was lost.

WILSON A COLLEGE PRESIDENT.

Installation Exercises of an Interesting Character at Washington and Lee University.

Lexington, Va., Sept. 15.—William L. Wilson, ex-Postmaster General, was installed as President of Washington and Lee University today. Promptly at 11 o'clock a line was formed and marched into the chapel, as follows:

President-elect Wilson, Governor Charles T. O'Ferrall and other distinguished guests, the Board of Trustees of the university, alumni, students, and friends. The chapel was already filled with the society people of Lexington and many guests from neighboring towns and cities.

Letters were read from Grover Cleveland, ex-Attorney General Harmon, and others.

Mr. Wilson expressed gratitude at the presence of such an audience. He laid great stress on the need of education in political and government science and pointed out that this branch of education had been strongly favored by Washington, Franklin, Jefferson, Adams, and many other great men.

SUCCESSORS OF THE STRAW HAT.

These are the styles of men's hard and soft headwear for the autumn season now at hand.

Hint for Smokers' Wives.

If a tin of water is placed at night in the room where people have been smoking the usual smell of stale tobacco will be gone in the morning.

To a Shrine on Bicycles.

Pilgrims to the shrine of Maria Radna at Temesvar, in Hungary, have received permission from the Bishop to make the journey on bicycles.

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MATCH AND BISCUIT UP.

THE FORMER STOCK GAINS THREE POINTS, THE LATTER TWO.

Strong "Tips" That Coates' Option Deal Is Successful — Insiders on American Biscuit Believed to Be Buying Up the New York Rival Stock—Mr. E. L. Lobdell Talks of the Evils of Jingoism—Other Financial News.

New York Biscuit and Diamond Match made a lively market of the local Stock Exchange yesterday. On a heavy volume of transactions New York Biscuit gained 2 points. On transactions aggregating only 37 shares Diamond Match slipped upward 3 points. The attention of traders was generally concentrated on the curious climb in value of these two stocks, and numerous were the theories which were advanced to explain them.

The agents of Diamond Match who were negotiating the Coates deal in London have returned and the unofficial "tip" is that the option on the 40,000 shares of stock at 185 is sure to be taken and that the business of the Liverpool plant, which the American company still retains a large interest in, has been increasing in a very gratifying way. It is also stated that the Diamond Match company has sent a representative to Brazil to make detailed arrangements for the introduction of the Beecher machines into that country, in accordance with the general agreement reached with the Brazilian representatives recently here.

The closing price of Diamond Match at 150 was only six points within the option price to the English syndicate. In some quarters it was suggested that there was an "inside" intention to get the stock up to a price at which the foreigners would be forced to think that there was a splendid bargain in the option. But it seems impossible to attribute the advance to any such deliberately designed buying movement. It is evident that holders of the stock are very unwilling to sell, and, as shown yesterday, it takes but a little bidding to start quite a bulge in the stock. Most of the stock now owned by investors was purchased at much higher figures, consequently holders are not inclined to sell the stock so long as there seems to be a good chance of retrieving losses. As Nov. 1, the date for the expiration of the option period, approaches, the mutual relation of those who want to get the stock and those who are holders of it promises to become interesting.

New York Biscuit advanced from 58 to 60¾. There were plenty of sellers, but there was a still greater plenty of buyers, who took up the stock because they "believed in" it. The basis of this belief is confidence in an impending truce with the American company. A great many of the rank and file of the traders have come to a conviction that the American company "insiders" are taking in all of the New York Biscuit stock they can quietly get, in anticipation of the extension by their company of the olive branch of peace to their New York rivals. Whether or not there are correct grounds for such a conviction yet the conviction is strong enough to make many think they ought to hurry into the band wagon, and of course their buying helps the stock. It is remembered that when the original falling out occurred between the companies there was a mysterious selling movement some time before the official rupture. It is also understood that the American company must take the initiative in any peace propositions for it was the American company which was the original aggressor in the unhappy disagreement.

There is much conjecture among holders of Lake Street bonds as to probable action with reference to the debentures. It is generally believed that nothing will be gained by extending the time, and that raising the bid will prove as elusive as chasing a shadow —for the higher the offer for the bonds the more confident holders become in their future. It is believed that the 78 offer will be declared good for all who wish to accept it, and that there will be no waiting for 75 per cent of the bondholders to part with their bonds.

Mr. Lobdell Returns from Europe.

Mr. E. L. Lobdell of Lobdell, Farwell & Co. has returned from Europe with pronounced views on the evils of "jingoism." He said yesterday: "It is impossible to calculate the harm done by jingoists in high state positions. It seemed to me that the English public feel as bitter toward America because of the Bering Sea letter of Secretary Sherman as they did after Cleveland's Venezuela message. Sentiment affects business, and English business-men seemed to be in a disagreeable mood toward us, and to wish us harm rather than good. There is great abundance of money in London, but for sentimental and patriotic reasons it does not come to us. Foreigners are greatly short on our stocks but this I consider a bad factor, as these stocks will soon have to be bought in, and at a loss. British diplomacy is generally exerted toward the protection and betterment of the property of British subjects, but American diplomacy, in my opinion, is conducted on a plan just the reverse."

The annual report of the Anaconda Copper Mining company shows that the year ending June 30 the receipts were $22,940,393, against $16,945,697 the year before. The profits amounted to $8,136,036, an increase of $878,138 over the previous year. Dividends amounting to $6,000,000 were declared, against $750,000 the year before.

An imperial Russian ukase was issued yesterday declaring the gold reserve against the issue of credit notes must not be less than half the total amount of such notes, provided that the notes shall not exceed 600,000,000 rubles, about which amount every ruble must be fully covered. Local bankers believe that this ukase gives indication of Russia's plan in the near future to become a full-fledged gold standard country.

The steamship Fuerst Bismarck, sailing for Europe, will take with it to-day $1,000,000 in bars of silver and 25,000 Mexican dollars. The amount of bullion withdrawn from the Bank of England on Thursday yesterday was £152,000.

Sales on the Stock Exchange were as follows:

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40 Dis Match	156	100 N Y Bis Co act.	59¼
10 N Y Bis Co	58	60 do act	59⅝
10 do	58¼	50 do act	59¾
20 do	58½	200 do act	59½
10 do act	58⅝	15 do	60
10 do	58¾	150 Lake St L	20¾
10 do buyer 10	59¼	5 do	20½
100 do act	59¼		

AFTER CALL.

50 N Y Bis Co act.	60¼	50 N Y Bis Co act.	60¼
10 do act	60	50 do act	60
100 do act	60	50 do act	60
30 do buyer 10	59¾	50 do act	60
7 Lake St L	20¾	150 do act	60¼
100 do act	20¼	100 do act	60¼
150 do act	20¼	100 do act	60¼
309 B W S C Line	19	50 do	60¼
50 do	19¼	10 do buyer 10	59¾
10 do buyer 10	19¼	15 do	59¾
100 do	19¼	50 C St A R	10⅝
50 do act	59¾	50 do act	10⅝
50 do	59¾	50 do	10⅝
50 do	59¾	50 do	10⅝
100 do act	59¾	100 do act	10⅝
50 do	59¾	50 do	10⅝
17 G & P prfd	51¼	30 I P Co prfd s 15	47
20 I P Co prfd s 15	47	50 S E St Ry	5¾
50 do	56¾	50 do	56¾
50 do	57	50 do	57
50 do buyer 10	57	50 do	57
50 do	57	50 do	57
250 do	57¼	50 do	57¼

BONDS.

$1 P Co 6s	85	$500 Lake St El inc 5s	92¾
6 do	84	5s	36¼

FROM 1:30 TO 2 P. M.

10 Lake St El	20¼	100 N Y Bis Co act.	60
10 do act	20⅝	100 do	60
10 N Y Bis Co act	59¾	100 do act	60¼
10 do	59¾	10 S W S C Line	19¾

Chicago sterling rates yesterday were slightly easier, with quotations as follows:

Cash	481¾ @ 60s
Sixty days	482¾ 60s
Ninety days	484¾ demand
Posted rates	485¼ cables
Continental rates:	
Francs (francs)	523¾ 60s
Francs (francs)	526¾ demand
Guilders (francs)	94¼ 60s
Guilders (marks)	94¾ demand

Closings at the larger cities yesterday and a week were:

	Sept. 15.	Sept. 8.
New York	$152,069,944	$180,883,910
Chicago	16,082,969	20,834,972
Boston	18,598,383	23,062,640
Philadelphia	12,218,096	13,339,174
St. Louis	5,068,628	6,034,516
San Francisco	3,061,125	4,474,954
New Orleans	792,341	885,601

The New York exchange sold yesterday as follows: 30 cents discount; St. Louis, 50 cents.

IN THE NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

Prices Are Irregular, but Average Level of Prices Is Lifted.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Today's market was exceedingly irregular, but the average level of prices was lifted as a result of the day's operations. The strength shown was very aggressive in spots, and many of the shares recently active in the market moved scarcely at all. The Vanderbilts were again a center of strength on the reports of large gains in earnings and most of them advanced a point or more in the day's trading. New York Central was heavily dealt in and advanced 1¾ on the estimated increase in the surplus for the current quarter of $672,057, and on the reported earnings for the first week in September of over $180,000. Northwest and Omaha also continued their concurrent advance on the benefits to accrue from the prospective increase in Omaha dividend. The extreme rise in each exceeding 2 per cent during the day, with a reaction and profit-taking. Lake Shore also was taken in hand by the bull element during the final hour of trading and rushed up 2¾ per cent, apparently for effect in sustaining the balance of the market. The same element was instrumental in hoisting the price of Pennsylvania, which has only been raised for a short time on the New York exchange, 3¾ points, the subsequent reaction being about ½. A jump of 20 points in Consolidated Gas, even though it was on a limited volume of transactions, was also a sensational feature in the market. The recent speculation which was centered in Union Pacific caused the advance in that stock and benefited the price to the extent of over a point. Kansas and Texas preferred also continued to manifest the strength which has characterized it in the recent speculation and advanced over a point. Reports circulated of large increases in earnings turned attention to General Electric and that stock rose at one time nearly two points. These elements of strength could not but serve to sustain the market and the advance of St. Paul and Burlington to new high record prices for the year were additional factors.

Nevertheless there were conspicuous exceptions to the strength to the market, such stocks as Missouri Pacific, Atchison preferred, Northern Pacific preferred, Southern preferred, C., C., C. & St. Louis, and C. & O., lagging quite heavily in the advance and, in some cases, closing below yesterday. A number of the industrials were conspicuously weak, including Sugar preferred, Leather preferred, Illinois Steel, Tennessee Coal, and Bay State Gas. Sugar common, which sold ex-dividend today, lost all of its early gain before the close. The coalers were somewhat heavy during the day, but improved slightly before the close, apparently in sympathy with the lively advance in anthracite coal tonnage and S. & W. preferred. The latter jumped 5¼ points and sold. Chicago Gas and Laclede Gas were quite strong, the former advancing nearly a point, and the latter 4 points, but both showing a subsequent reaction.

Less was heard today of the prospect of immediate imports of gold, the exchange market showing a steady tone, though very dull, and no further hardening of the rate for money in the local market being perceptible. Exchange is still a fully a cent above the gold import point, but it seems evident that no material rise in money rates here would be met by gold imports and consequently no check to the advance. One of the features of the day in Wall street was sales on Standard Oil liquidating certificates on the curb at 351¼, which is 9½ points advance over the highest previous price.

There was considerable decrease in the volume of bond dealings, but prices generally advanced. Total sales, $2,543,100.

United States old 4s were ¼ lower bid.

Description.	Sales.	High.	Low.	Sp.	Closing. Bid.	Asked.
*Amn. Sugar	16,600	155¾	154	154	157	
Do pfd	1,700	121	118½	119½	121¼	
Amn. Tobacco	6,500	92¾	91¾	92	92	
Do pfd	10	114¼	114¼	114¼	.....	
Amn. Cotton Oil	800	24¾	24½	24½	24½	
Do pfd	100	78¾	78¾	78¾	.....	
Amn. Express	15	117	117	117	.....	
Adams Express	5	134	134	134	.....	
Atchison	1,800	16	15¾	15¾	16	
Do pfd	9,000	35	34½	34¾	34½	
Ann Arbor Ry	300	13	13	13	.....	
Do pfd	300	36¼	36¼	36½	.....	
Amn Spirits Co	2,300	14¼	13¾	13¾	14¼	
Do pfd	200	34¼	33¾	34¼	34½	
Bkln. Rap. Tran.	9,000	36	35	35½	35⅝	
Bay State Gas	28,600	13¾	11¼	11¼	11½	
Balto. & Ohio	700	19¾	19¼	19¼	19¼	
Bkln. Un. Gas	1,300	135	134	134¾	134½	
Brunswick	2,900	3	2	3	1⅞	
Comstock	6,000	5	2	3	.....	
C., B. & Q.	19,200	101¼	100¼	100¾	100¾	
C. & N. W.	11,400	132¼	130	132	130	
C., M. & St P.	35,900	102	101¼	101¾	101¾	
Do pfd	200	145¾	145¼	145¾	.....	
C., R. I. & P.	12,500	96¾	95¾	96	95¾	
C., St. P., M. & O.	15,500	89¼	87¾	88¼	.....	
Canada So.	11,700	61¾	60	61¾	60	
Ches. & Ohio	5,100	26¼	25¼	25¾	25¾	
C., C., C. & St. L.	2,600	41¾	40¼	41	.....	
Cent. R.R. of N.J.	900	97¼	97	97¼	97	
C. & E. I.	200	60	60	60	60	
Canadian Pac.	625	76	75¼	76	.....	
Con. Gas (N. Y.)	6,000	240	224	237	220	
Chicago Gas	45,000	107¾	104¾	107¼	104¾	
Col. F. & I. Co.	1,700	27¾	27¼	27¼	27¼	
Cent. Pac.	750	15¾	15¾	15¾	.....	
Chicago & Alton	15	164¾	164¾	164¾	.....	
C., I. & L.	400	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾	
Do pfd	800	35¾	35	35	35¾	
C. G. Western	8,800	17¼	17	17¼	17	
Do 1st	100	92	92	92	90	
Do 2d	5,500	28	27	28¼	28¼	
D., L. & W.	200	160¾	160	160¾	.....	
Del. & Hudson	1,200	120	119	120	120	
D. & R. G. pfd	1,400	49¾	49¼	49¾	49¼	
Detroit Gas	200	48	47	48	46	
Erie	1,900	18¾	18¼	18¾	17¾	
Do 1st pfd	1,500	44½	43¾	44	44	
Do 2d pfd	7,700	26	24¼	24¾	24¼	
Edison	700	130	129	130	130	
Ft. W. & R. G.	1,100	19¾	19¼	19¾	17½	
General Electric	29,800	41¾	39¾	40¾	39¾	
Ill. Central	3,800	109½	108¾	109¾	108¾	
Iowa Central	400	11	10¾	10¾	10¾	
Do pfd	200	38	38	38½	38	
Illinois Steel	100	47¼	47¼	47¾	48¾	
Lake Shore	3,500	177¾	174¾	176¾	177¾	
Louisv. & Nash.	8,100	61¾	61	61¾	61¾	
Long Island	800	42¾	42	42¾	43	
L. E. & W.	500	20	20	20	20¼	
Do pfd	800	75¾	75¾	75¾	75¾	
Laclede Gas	7,700	47	42¾	45¾	43¾	
Do pfd	25	96	96	96	94	
Manhattan	8,500	113	111¾	112¾	111¾	
Mich. Cent.	2,700	111¾	110¼	111¼	109¾	
M., K. & T.	3,500	16	15¾	15¾	15¾	
Do pfd	14,200	42	40¾	41¾	40¼	
Met. Traction	1,800	124¾	121	124¾	122¼	
Mob. & Ohio	100	29	29	29	28¾	
Missouri Pac.	5,500	38¾	38	38	38¼	
Minn. & St. Louis	800	28¾	27¾	28	27¾	
Do 1st pfd	300	88	88	88	87¾	
Do 2d pfd	500	59¾	59	59¾	58½	
M. & St. L.	200	6¾	6¾	6¾	.....	
N. & C.	100	80¼	80¼	80¼	80¼	
Nor. Pac.	9,000	21¾	20¾	21	20½	
Do pfd	5,900	51	50¼	50¾	50¼	
N. Y. Central	22,900	115¾	113¾	114¾	113¼	
Norfolk & W.	200	16¼	16¼	16¼	16¼	
Do pfd	100	44¼	44¼	44¼	44¼	
N. Y. Sus. & W.	6,300	19¼	19	19¾	18¾	
Do 1st pfd	6,000	44¾	39	43	39	
North Amn. Co.	600	5¼	5¼	5¼	.....	
N. Y., Ont. & W.	31,800	19½	17¾	19¼	18	
National Lead	6,000	11¾	11¼	11¾	11¾	
Do pfd	100	108	108	108	108	
National Linseed	100	18	18	18	.....	
N. Y. Gas, Elec. L.	100	103¾	103¾	103¾	.....	
Do 1st pfd	100	81	81	81	.....	
Do 2d pfd	1,500	42	40	42	.....	
Nat. Starch	100	12	12	12	.....	
Do 1st pfd	400	90	90	90	89½	
Om. Pr. & Nav.	300	40	40	40	.....	
Om. Short Line	900	27¾	26¾	27¾	.....	
Pacific Mail	1,900	37¾	36¾	37¼	37	
Pullman	1,200	174	172	173¾	173½	
P., C., C. & St. L.	1,200	72¾	72¼	72¾	72¾	
Do pfd	200	89½	89½	89½	89½	
Penna. R. R.	17,800	118¼	117¼	117¾	117¾	
Reading	7,000	27¾	27¼	27¾	27¾	
Do 1st pfd	4,800	56	55½	56	55½	
Do 2d pfd	200	33¾	33¾	33¾	33¾	
Southern Ry.	11,700	12¼	12	12¼	11¾	
Do pfd	2,800	37¼	37¼	37½	36¾	
St. J. & G. I.	900	7	7	7	.....	
Do 1st pfd	200	50	49½	50	50	
Southern Pac.	600	22	21¾	21¾	21¾	
Silver Bullion	9,000	56¾	56¾	56¾	.....	
St. L. & S. W.	300	6¾	6	6¾	.....	
Do pfd	300	13	13	13	13	
St. L. & San F.	100	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾	
Do 1st pfd	400	55¼	54¾	55¼	55½	
Do 2d pfd	400	30¾	30¾	30¾	.....	
St. P. & Duluth	200	27	27	27	.....	
Do pfd	200	87	87	87	.....	
S. R. & T.	2,000	4¼	4¼	4¼	4¼	
Texas Pac.	2,300	13¾	13½	13¾	13¾	
Tenn. Coal & Iron	3,000	34	33¼	33½	33¾	
Union Pac.	56,000	23¾	22	23¾	22¾	
U. P., D. & G.	6,800	8	7¾	7¾	7¾	
U. S. Rubber	200	18¾	18½	18½	18¼	
Do pfd	600	68	68	68	68	
U. S. Leather	1,000	10¾	9¾	10	9¾	
Do pfd(ex. div.)	2,000	70¾	70	70¾	71¼	
W. St. L.	100	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾	
Do pfd	700	18	17	17	17¼	
Wabash	1,100	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾	
Do pfd	4,200	23¾	22¾	23¾	22¾	
Wells Fargo Ex.	100	109	109	109	.....	
Western Union	4,300	96¼	95¾	95¾	96	
Wis. Cent.	100	3	3	3	.....	

*Ex. div. 3 per cent. †Ex. div. 1¾ per cent.

EXPRESS STOCKS.

Adams	156	United States	44½
American	116	Fargo	108

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

U. S. new 4s reg	125¾	Do 2ds	98
Do coup	125¾	Do 5 5s reg	114½
U. S. 4s	111¾	Do 5s coup	114¾
Do coup	113¾		

NEW YORK BOND SALES AND QUOTATIONS —10 A. M. TO 3 P. M.

$5000 Atch gen 4s	89¾	$1000 Mid N J 1st	121
25000 do adjmt 4s	59¾@59¾	1000 do gen 5s	102
2000 Ann Arbor 4s	83¾	div 7s	128¼
25000 Beech Creek 1st	108	20000 do 8s 1st	102
23000 Bklyn El 1st	86¾	10000 do 7-10	141¼
53000 B R T 5s	94¾@95¾	20000 do cons 4s	141¾@142
3000 Bklyn Un Gas 5s	118	5000 do cons 4s	103¾
4000 B W-W 1st	101¾	3000 do Lac div	114¼
5000 C G L-C Co 5s	104½	20000 M K T 1st 4s	87@87¼
16000 C So 2d	106@¾	18000 do 2d	64¼@65¼
38000 Cent Ga 1st inc	46@¾	4000 M K T 5s Tex	83
3000 do 2d inc	16¼@17	10000 N Y-N H 4s con deb small bonds	113¾
10000 do 3d inc	8¾@9	13000 N Y O-W cons	109¼@¾
6000 C Pac 6s	98-102¾	1000 N Y S W 5s	97¼
34000 C-O gen 4s	81¾@82	1000 ref 4s	84
10000 do R-Alst con 5s	101¾	1000 N P 1st 6s	123¾
28000 C B Q Neb ex 4s	94¾	39000 do gen lien 3s	60¼@¾
1000 do con 7s	118¾	40000 do prior 4s	92¼@¾
5000 do conv 5s	110	15000 N RR Cala 5s	102¼@¾
5000 C-Erie 1st	114¼	22000 Or Imp 5s	102¼@¾
1000 C H 1st ex	91¾	47000 do Imp 5s	38@39
2000 C St-P M-O cons	131¾	5000 O R-N 5s	91¼
213000 do 4s	95¾@96	24000 O S L-U 4s	93¾
4000 C H V-T 5s	76	5s	92¾@93
28000 Col Mid 1st tr	55@¾	1000 do inc ser B	41¾
25000 C C C-St L	94¼	2000 do inc ser A	60
St L div	94¼	1000 R W-O cons	120¾
35000 D-I R 1st	103¾	31000 Rio Grande 1st	86
2000 D S S-A 5s	101¼	40000 R G W 1st	81¾@83¾
2000 E L-B S 5s	101	7000 P-W 1st 4s	77¾
38000 Erie 4s prior	92¾@93	4000 P D-E-Ev div	101
51000 do gen lien	73@¾	1000 Penna Co 4½	113
5000 do ex	75¾@76	5000 C C-St	111¼@112
29000 F W-R G 1st	60	7000 St L-I M 5s	90
1000 Ft W-D C 1st	74	25000 St L-S F 4-5%	69¾
2000 G E deb 5s	100	2000 do gm 6s	115¾
10000 H-T C gm 4s	78	1000 St J-G I 1st	68¼
2000 Ia Cent 1st 5s	98	$4000 S R T 6s	67½
1000 Ill C 4s	102¾	76000 do inc	16¾@18¾
1000 I-Gt N 2ds	80¼	40000 Sa-A P 4s	61¾
5000 K P Den D 1st	15	2000 So Ry 5s	104¾
2000 K C P-C 1st	81¼@82	1000 Tex P 1st 5s	95¾
139000 K P 1st cons	99@102	48000 do 2d inc	31¾@32
5000 K-M 1st	80	2000 Tex-No 5s	97
4000 L E-M S 4½s	102	51000 U P 1st 6s ex m cp	115¾@116
3000 Lac Gas 5s	103¾	25000 do sink f	100¾@101
3000 L E-W 2d 5s	101¼	51300 U P ex st 6s	115@117¼
1000 L E-W 1st	112¾	5000 U P 1st 5s	102¾
10000 L-N S-N Ala gtd 4s	88¾	6000 Un El 1st tr	85¾
5000 L gtd 4s	93¾	5000 U P-D-G 4s	70¾
1000 L V 4½s	101	10000 Wab 1st 5s	107@¾
3000 Met L 1st	114¾	1000 do 2d	71¾
5000 M Cent 5s	120	5000 W N Y-P 5s	109¾
		48000 do gm 4s	48¾
		19000 Wis C 1st tr	39
		1000 W-L E 1st	91¼

IN THE BOSTON MONEY MARKET.

Stock Sales and Closing Quotations at the Hub.

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—Copper shares maintained prominence. Centennial again was a leader. The President and others are at the mine, and the street talks of possible Standard Oil interest, a matter of doubtful advantage. The New York interest in the property did it little good prior to reorganization. Boston is the natural home of the copper shares, and it is to be hoped that their principal control will be kept here. Brokers dealing with the Lake had orders both ways, selling for profits; also new buying. The price of Centennial advanced ⅜, to 20¾, receding ⅝; Montana rose 1¾, to 150¾, receding ½; Osceola gained 1 more, to 41¾; Calumet and Hecla 5, to 450; Quincy ½, to 119; Butte gained ⅜, to 27¾, falling back to 26¾, and closing at 27¼. Queer thing, that Butte, and the odd way in which it acts, indicative of efforts to hold it against either rise or fall—the prime "mystery" of the market. Tamarack Junior dropped 2, to 17½; Atlantic rose ⅛, to 26; Franklin ⅜, to 18¾; Old Dominion 1¾, to 24¾, receding to 23¾; Isabel Gold rose 1¾, to 17¾, receding to 17¼; Bell Telephone came down from 285 to 279, rallying to 290. The directors have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 3 per cent. There had been some expectation of a 4 per cent payment.

Call loans, 2@3½; time money, 3½@4½. At the clearing-house balances between the banks loaned at 2 per cent.

Description.	Sales.	Op'g.	High.	Low.	Close.
American Sugar	2,000	154¾	155	154	154
Do pfd	250	120¼	120¼	119½	119¼
Atchison	450	15¾	16	15¾	15¾
Do pfd	1,200	35	35	34½	34¾
Bay State Gas	23,000	5¾	6¾	5¼	5¼
Bell Telephone	290	285	290	279	286
C., B. & Q	4,000	100¾	101¾	100¼	100¾
Chicago Junc. Ry.	200	113¾	115	111¾	115
Do pfd	50	110	110	110	110
Centennial	6,500	18¼	20¾	18¼	20
Erie Telephone	900	76¼	77	76¼	76¾
Fitchburg pfd	100	95	95	95	95
General Electric	4,000	39¾	41¼	39¾	40¼
Mexican Central	2,400	7¾	7¾	7¼	7¼
Oregon Short Line	100	22¾	23¼	22¾	22¾
Pullman	150	183¾	183¾	183	183½
Union Pacific	16,000	22¾	23¾	22	23¼
Do pfd	150	59½	60¼	59¼	60
Westinghouse El.	150	25	25½	25	25¼
Do pfd	125	55	55	55	55
Wis. Cent	100	3¼	3¼	3¼	3¼

BONDS.

$1000 Atch 4s	87½	$20000 Mex Cent 4s	66
22000 do adj	60	10000 do 2d inc	6¼
5000 Gas 1st	90@91	C & W M 5s	97
2000 Jun Ry	109¾	20000 Wis C 5s	38¾
5000 Ill Steel 4s	85	13000 CB&Qcon5s	110¾

IN THE FOREIGN MONEY MARKET.

American Rails and Grand Trunk Are the Leaders in London.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—The Evening Post's London financial cablegram says:

The stock settlement has been satisfactorily concluded and the business in the stock market today was quiet, except in American rails and in Grand Trunk, which has risen sharply on the New York lead. A feature tonight is the rise in Union Pacific to nearly 24. The condition of exchange on New York attracts much attention, but the arrival is still look for no gold movement to New York until next month. I have some reason to believe that the directors of the Bank of England tomorrow will publicly disavow any action in the recent reports of an increased holding of silver reserve. South American stocks were dull and Kaffirs were firm.

The rise in Paris exchange on London is immediately due to large wheat purchases from America. London private discounts are firm. A large business is now being done in the open market by the bank.

The market in Berlin was steady and that in Paris was irregular and quiet.

IN THE FOREIGN PRODUCE MARKET.

Closing Quotations in Grain and Provisions at Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 15.—Hams, short cut, easy, 37s 6d. Lard, spot, dull, 23s 6d. Corn, American mixed, spot, new, dull, 3s 3¼d; do old, quiet, 3s 5¾d; September easy, 3s 2¾d; October easy, 3s 3d; November easy, 3s 4d.

IN THE MINING STOCK EXCHANGES.

Closing Quotations at New York, Boston, and San Francisco.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—The following were the closing quotations in mining stocks today here:

Chollar	63	Ontario	300
Crown Point	35	Ophir	100
Con. Cal. & Va.	195	Overman	100
Deadwood	100	Quicksilver	100
Gould & Currie	70	Quicksilver pfd.	1000
Hale & Norcross	110	Sierra Nevada	105
Homestake	2900	Standard	170
Iron Silver	25	Union Con	60
Mexican	65	Yellow Jacket	115

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 15.—The following were the closing quotations in mining stocks today here:

Allouez Mining Co.	1	Franklin	18¾
Atlantic	25¾	Kearsarge	21¾
Boston & Mont.	150	Osceola	41
Butte & Boston	27¼	Quincy	118
Calumet & Hecla	450	Tamarack	175
Centennial	19¾	Wolverines	15¾

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 15.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Alta	12	Julia	4
Alpha Con	21	Justice	11
Andes	25	Belcher Con	11
Belcher	46	Mexican	50
Best & Belcher	80	Occidental Con	200
Bullion	12	Ophir	1.30
Caledonia	75	Overman	22
Challenge Con	50	Potosi	40
Chollar	70	Savage	59
Confidence	120	Sierra Nevada	105
Con. Cal. & Va.	1.95	Standard	4.25
Con. Imperial	3	Union Con	61
Crown Point	42	Utah Con	24
Exchequer	7	Yellow Jacket	115
Gould & Currie	68	Standard	190
Hale & Norcross	115		

IN THE LOCAL LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Prices of Cattle, Hogs, and Sheep—Receipts and Shipments.

Chicago receipts and shipments of live stock for dates mentioned:

Receipts—	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Monday, Sept. 13	23,216	190	31,877	15,883
Tuesday, Sept. 14	7,202	602	12,270	17,384
Wednesday, Sept. 15	18,000	200	20,000	19,000
Totals	48,478	992	64,156	52,267
Same period last week	45,706	944	73,571	54,251
Same period 1896	48,962	1,909

SECTION 22 ON TRIAL

Attorney General McKenna Will Pass on It Today.

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Treasury Deficit Is Growing Beautifully Smaller.

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Secretary Gage Leaves Washington for Chicago.

OTHER GOSSIP AT THE CAPITAL.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—Attorney General McKenna expects to send in tomorrow his decision in regard to the discrimination duties provided in the celebrated section 22 of the Dingley tariff law. The chances are that he will uphold the section in controversy, at least so far as it relates to the original importation of tea at Chicago. If the decision is otherwise it will be a great surprise to the Treasury officials, who, with the exception of Mr. Gage himself, agree that there is nothing for the Attorney General to do except to uphold the law. The question at issue is a far-reaching one, and the Attorney General's decision will settle the question as to whether the Canadian Pacific can hereafter compete with the transcontinental roads on this side of the line for a share in the commerce between Japan, China, and Australia and the United States. Judge McKenna's decision will have much to do with the future of all Pacific coast ports, and San Francisco, Seattle, Tacoma, and San Diego are equally interested. If he upholds the section, as he is expected to do, not only will the tea now held in Chicago have to pay a duty of 10 per cent, but silks, tinned tea, silks, rice, coffee, sugar, and other commodities of Asia and Australasia will necessarily reach this country only through Pacific ports of the United States.

Section 22 declares that: "A discriminating duty of 10 per cent ad valorem in addition to the duties imposed by law, shall be levied, collected, and paid on all goods, wares, or merchandise which shall be imported in vessels not of the United States, or which, being the production or manufacture of any foreign country not contiguous to the United States shall come into the United States from such contiguous country."

If the section stands as passed at the last session, the Canadian Pacific will be barred from bringing goods across the continent to Winnipeg, Port Arthur, or Montreal and then shipping them under bond to Chicago and New York, for under the new law tea and similar articles now on the free list will be taxed 10 cents a pound.

The curious thing about the situation is that this country is only retaliating in kind against Canada. Years ago, before the Canadian Pacific was finished and teas and silks for Canada came by way of San Francisco, through Chicago, in bond, and thence into Canada. When the Canadians found themselves with a government transcontinental road on their hands they looked around for room for their white elephant. They found it in the tea and silk trade of China and Japan and the products of Australasia and the East Indies. Canada at once established a discriminating duty and it is in force today. Tea imported into Canada via Chicago pays a tax of 10 cents a pound. Last year Canada imported 22,000,000 pounds of tea direct and only a quarter of a million pounds through the United States. Now the shoe will be on the other foot, and the Canadian Pacific will have to yield all its United States business and hold only its Canadian trade.

Half of September is gone and the Treasury statement is particularly encouraging. The deficit for the fifteen days is $2,504,001, indicating a total for the month of only $5,000,000, as compared with $14,000,000 in August and $11,000,000 in July. Since July 1 Mr. Gage's new trust has run behind to the amount of $28,174,239. If this were the First National Bank the directors would be sitting up nights consulting timetables for Canada, but Uncle Sam doesn't mind it, and simply smiles and says: "Wait till I sell my wheat."

An honorable service roll is to be established in the Treasury department, the main object of which will be to increase the efficiency of the clerical force without entailing hardship upon those clerks who have grown old in the service of Uncle Sam and whose usefulness has become impaired by the infirmities incident to old age. It is proposed to transfer to this roll, which will be something new in the history of the government, all clerks who have been thirty years in the civil service and have attained the years of age. This transfer will carry with it a decrease of pay with a corresponding decrease of labor requirements from clerks of an advanced age.

Persons on this roll will be retained in the service as long as possible, but will be required to be on hand to give advice and render assistance in difficult cases with which they may be familiar. While engaged in an investigation of this matter an official of the department found that in one bureau of the Treasury the average age of the clerks was over 50 years and some were over 70. One clerk in this bureau is 75 years old. Requirements of the service demand labor from this force that could not be rendered as the bureau was organized. Younger clerks became discontented and requested transfers to other branches of the service where promotions would be more likely to occur.

Primarily this investigation led to a determination on the part of the Secretary of the Treasury to recognize the zeal and fidelity with which aged clerks had worked and virtually pension them. Congress will be asked to take up this subject and make such provision as may be found necessary under the circumstances, and it is believed the ideas of Secretary Gage will be favorably considered.

Secretary Gage will start for a three-weeks' vacation tomorrow forenoon, Chicago being his first objective. All the business on the Secretary's desk was dispatched as rapidly as possible today with a view to bringing matters up to date, and nothing was left over when Secretary Gage and Assistant Secretary Vanderlip vacated the Treasury department.

One of the most gratifying acts of the President today was the appointment of a Postmaster which had been suggested by Assistant Secretary Vanderlip. This was the selection of W. J. McEldowney at Chicago Heights, one of the best of the Presidential offices in the vicinity of the Lake City.

It is by no means certain that the President and Mrs. McKinley will leave the White House for a trip north as has been suggested, both having expressed themselves glad to get back to Washington. So far as the President is concerned he was never in better health or spirits than he is now, and the improvement in his appearance was commented upon freely at the public reception this afternoon. In some unaccountable manner it became known that the President would be at home to the dear public at 3 o'clock, and when that hour arrived fully 800 people had congregated in the East room to pay their respects to the Chief Magistrate. With a cordial grasp of the hand and a cheery smile for each of his callers the President went through this ordeal in his usual gracious manner and sent several hundred people away from Washington in the happiest frame of mind imaginable.

As the result of orders issued from the War department today, two company commanders of the Fourth Infantry at Fort Sheridan change places, Second Lieutenant Guy H. B. Smith exchanging with Second Lieutenant Frederick T. Stetson of Company A.

TO ADJUST THE TAXES.

STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION TALKS OVER ASSESSMENT.

Railroad Attorneys Plead for Reductions—Cook County Members Protest Against Increase of 34 Per Cent on Vacant Lots, but Are Willing to Compromise on 15—Country Members Want to Increase Cook County Personal Assessment 75 Per Cent.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 15.—[Special.]—The various committees of the State Board of Equalization were in session today. The work of the Committee on Railroads consisted in the hearing of arguments made by representatives of the various railroads, all of which were substantially in favor of a reduction of the assessments on railroad property.

E. T. Glennon of Chicago spoke in behalf of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern. He said that he represented the finest corporation in the United States, but that even the railroad had suffered in consequence of the hard times for the last four years. In 1894 the assessment of the main track of the Lake Shore road was raised from $40,000 to $60,000 a mile. The gross earnings of the road had fallen off since that time, and he asked for a reduction in the assessment because he believed the present levy of $60,000 a mile was excessive. He gave a statement of the gross earings of the road for the last four years as follows: 1893, $23,685,000; 1894, $19,500,000; 1895, $21,000,000; 1896, $20,200,000, which shows a decrease of $3,485,000 in the earings of the road last year as compared with the earnings of the road in 1893, the year after which the assessment was increased.

Deny the Englewood Elevator.

Mr. Glennon read an affidavit from the chief engineer of the Lake Shore which in effect denied that the company has an elevator at Englewood. The matter was called up by a question of Chairman Works, and grew out of a statement made last week by Mr. Hall, representing the Nickel Plate road, who charged the Lake Shore road with having an elevator at Englewood upon which it was not paying taxes as railroad property. Mr. Glennon explained that there was an elevator at Englewood, but that it was the property of the Chicago Lake Shore Transfer company and was in no way the property of the Lake Shore railroad company.

D. Strouse of Rockville, representing the Terre Haute and Indiana, better known as the Vandalia line, argued for a reduced assessment, partly on the ground that a road running parallel to the Vandalia line was assessed less than his road by $1,200 a mile. He did not believe the roads in Southern Illinois should be compelled to pay as great an assessment rate as roads running through Chicago, because the last named roads derived greater benefits from the advantages of the city traffic.

Fred Sunkle of East St. Louis spoke for the East St. Louis connecting railroad, and W. H. Lyford argued along the line of lower assessments for the Chicago, Lake Shore and Eastern.

Parke E. Simmons of Chicago, representing the track property owned by a number of railroad companies connecting the Calumet Terminal and the Belt Line, argued for a reduction of the rate on the property because of the fact that it was not in use and was not bringing in an income.

The Committee on Capital Stock heard arguments along the line of a reduction of assessment of Sunkle of East St. Louis for the Wiggins Ferry company, J. M. C. Shumway of the Taylorville Electric company, and William Snyder of the Kankakee Electric railroad company.

Regarding Cook County Lots.

The chief contention in the Committee on Town and City Lots was over the assessments on Cook County lots. Mr. McKenna of the Second District and Mr. McAnsh of the Fourth argued that there was no justice in increasing the assessments 34 per cent on the lots in Cook County, because many of them were laid out during the boom at the time of the World's Fair, and had since greatly depreciated in value. These lots, while laid off into city lots, are purely farming lands, and are now used in raising cabbages, carrots, and other vegetables, and yet are assessed as city lots, when the valuation is in some cases 50 per cent less than it was two or three years ago. The Chicago members favor an increase of 15 per cent, instead of 34, over the present assessment.

The members from the various Congressional districts were heard regarding the assessments in the various counties, each member offering suggestions in regard to the condition of the assessment of counties in his district. Mr. Boyd of the Twentieth devoted a few remarks to Gallatin County, and particularly to Shawneetown, where he thought no increase in assessment ought to be made. Clay County lots were also overburdened, and in Hardin County the rate was only $43.26 less than the average assessment of lots in the State, while the condition of property values in Hardin was far from that proportion in Peoria and Chicago.

William A. Wall of the Twenty-second District recommended a reduction in the present assessments in Alexander County of 5 per cent, in Jackson County of 5 per cent, in Johnson County 2 per cent, Pulaski County 25 per cent, and Pope County 5 per cent.

Thomas N. Leavitt spoke for the Seventeenth District, and favored putting the assessments just where they were last year in Logan, Macon, Menard, and Sangamon.

C. A. Works of the Ninth District suggested that the committee add 5 per cent to the assessment in Carroll County, 10 per cent in Jo Daviess, deduct 10 per cent from the assessment in Winnebago, and 5 in Stephenson, and let the present assessment in Ogle County stand as it is.

The Committee on Personal Property did not meet today. There is a strong fight on against the raising of the assessments of personal property in Cook County. Andrew McAdams and John J. McKenna are leading the fight to keep down the assessment. The country members favor a sweeping increase of 75 per cent, and McAnsh, McKenna, McKnight, Severin, Rogers, and Simons will do their utmost to keep the assessment down to not over 25 per cent increase over the present rating. Chairman Hirshfield, the chairman of the Personal Property committee, is strongly in favor of a material increase.

THURSTON FAVORS ANNEXATION

Nebraska Senator Says He Will Do All He Can to Secure Ratification of Treaty.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 15.—Senator Thurston of Nebraska, who was in the city today, was asked as to the truth of the report that he would oppose the ratification of the Hawaiian annexation treaty when it shall come up in the Senate next session.

"Nothing," replied the Senator, "could be further from the truth. I am now, as I have been for years, an ardent annexationist, and I shall do all that I can to promote the approval of the treaty when it comes up. I cannot imagine how the supposition got abroad that I would pursue a contrary course, unless it grew out of the fact that I have advocated the abrogation of the existing reciprocity treaty, which admits Hawaiian sugar free.

"That position I took because of the fact that Nebraska is a beet sugar State and because our sugar comes into competition with the Hawaiian article. But, while this would continue to be the case with Hawaii a part of the United States, there would be so many advantages of other kinds growing out of annexation that I would forego my opposition to free Hawaiian sugar in order to secure those benefits."

The Senator added that he thought the treaty would be taken up soon after the convening of Congress.

Services for Henry B. Stone.

Funeral services over the remains of Henry B. Stone, the late President of the Chicago Telephone company, who died at his summer home in New Bedford on July 5 last as the result of an explosion of fireworks, were held in Graceland Cemetery yesterday morning. The body was brought to Chicago accompanied by Mrs. Stone, Miss Alice Stone, and N. H. Stone. Services were conducted by the Rev. W. W. Fenn of the Church of the Messiah. E. P. Ripley, D. H. Burnham, Edward E. Ayer, George Manierre, James C. Peasley, Robert T. Lincoln, Albert Antisdel, and Frank C. Brown were the honorary pallbearers.

FEW AT THE ANNUAL

DRAINAGE TRUSTEES DECIDE A PART OF THE VEXED QUESTION.

Employe Stockholders of Illinois Central Stay Away.

REPORT FOR YEAR READ.

That Part of the Proposed Channel Affecting the Illinois and Michigan Canal Is Agreed On—Fight Over the Allowance of "Extras" to Contractors Heidemair and Neu Results in Victory of the Final Estimate, Giving Them $6,995 Excess.

Three Old Directors Are Unanimously Chosen Again.

BOND PLANS ARE RATIFIED.

Only about thirty stockholders attended yesterday's annual meeting of the Illinois Central railroad company in this city. As several thousand of the company's employés are stockholders and were offered free transportation if they desired to attend this meeting, about six times as many were expected as came. Among those present was Governor Tanner, who is a director of the company ex-officio. President Stuyvesant Fish occupied the chair.

The annual report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1897, was submitted and read. A full abstract has already been published in THE TRIBUNE.

B. F. Ayer, Walter Luttgen, and J. W. Anchincloss, whose terms of office had expired, were unanimously reëlected directors for the next three years.

The following propositions were formally ratified by the stockholders:

The issue of the company's $2,000,000 Springfield Division first mortgage 3½ per cent gold bonds, payable 1951, to refund or retire 6 per cent currency bonds of the company to the same amount, maturing Jan. 1, 1898, and of a mortgage upon the division and its franchises executed by the Chicago and Springfield road as lessor and the Illinois Central as lessee.

The issue of the company's $10,000,000 St. Louis division and terminal first mortgage 3½ per cent gold bonds, payable 1951, to fund or retire first mortgage and other obligations and to provide improvements, additions, and betterment upon the property known as the St. Louis Division, held by it under lease from the St. Louis Alton and Terre Haute and the Belleville and Southern railroads, and the further lease of said franchises and property by the St. Louis, Alton and Terre Haute to the Illinois Central and of a supplemental mortgage or deed of trust.

The issue of $20,000,000 Louisville Division and terminal first mortgage gold bonds, payable 1983, being part of an issue of $25,000,000 to be secured by first mortgage on the Chesapeake, Ohio and Southwestern, the Owensboro, Falls of Rough and Green River railroad, and the Short Route Railway Transfer company, together with lands in Memphis, Louisville, and elsewhere along the line of the Chesapeake, Ohio and Southwestern used or to be in connection therewith.

Leasing of said roads by the Chicago, St. Louis and New Orleans road to the Illinois Central and of the mortgage of the said properties and franchises to secure these bonds.

The directors left last evening on a tour of inspection over the company's lines.

BOYCOTTS OREGON SHORT LINE

Union Pacific Will Charge Combined Local Rates on Business Directed Over That Route.

Notices were issued by the Union Pacific railway which correctly interpreted means a gigantic conflict between that road and its competitors. One notice is as follows:

"Effective Sept. 23, 1897, through rates, both one way and round trip, via Union Pacific systems to points on and via Oregon Railway and Navigation company should be made by addition of the rates to Huntington, Ore., to the rates of like class from Huntington."

The other notice reads:

"To Connecting Lines: On and after receipt of this please be advised that tickets issued account employé, clergy, charity, officers U. S. A. or U. S. N., reading to points on or via the Oregon Railway and Navigation company, must not be sold in connection with tickets reading via the Union Pacific system."

No doubt exists that this means a virtual boycott of the Oregon Short line and the Oregon Railway and Navigation company by the Union Pacific. This company declines to take business to North Pacific coast points over the Short line except at full local rates, which are high in compared with the regular through rates as to prevent the routing of passengers that way.

EUSTIS DELIVERS THE ADDRESS

American Association of General Passenger Agents Meets in St. Louis Tuesday, Oct. 19.

Secretary A. J. Smith has just issued a call for the forty-second annual meeting of the American Association of General Passenger and Ticket Agents, to be held at the Southern Hotel, St. Louis, on Tuesday, Oct. 19, 1897. Among the more important subjects to be considered are:

Interchangeable mileage tickets of the Central Passenger association; necessity for uniform safety paper for coupon tickets; excursion business in all its details; rule to prevent the fraudulent use of tickets; uniformity of State laws relative to the handling of passengers and baggage and rates therefor; what are the benefits derived from passenger traffic associations; the entire abolishment of skeleton tickets.

P. S. Eustis, General Passenger Agent of the Burlington, will deliver the annual address.

WAR IN PASSENGER RATES.

Demoralization in Business at Kansas City and Other Southwestern Points.

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 15.—The demoralization in Western passenger rates is such that local railway men fear an open war on all lines out of Kansas City. Today tickets were sold from Galveston, Houston, Fort Worth, and other Texas points to Kansas City and St. Louis for $5, or $10 for the round trip, good to return until Sept. 20.

The return ends of the tickets will be handled by brokers with the result that rates from Kanas City to Texas points will be ridiculously low within the next few days.

Eight Bridges for Japan Road.

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 15.—Plans for eight big railroad bridges to be built on the line of the Nippon railway of Japan have been completed, and are now in the office of K. A. L. Waddell of this city, under whose direction the structures are to be built. The bridges are to be of the cantilever style, and six of them will be built without the aid of false work. They will be built of American material entirely, and American workmen will do the work in the mills and ships of Pennsylvania. Mr. Waddell secured the commission for the bridges through his classmate, J. Y. Mori, Vice President of the Nippon Valley road.

The Storm at Port Arthur.

J. J. Grafton of the Kansas City, Pittsburg and Gulf railway has received a dispatch from the company's official at Kansas City stating that the total loss of property at Port Arthur would not exceed $15,000, and that the loss of life was not as great as at first reported. Six feet of water was said to be the height of the tidal wave at the time of its extreme limit.

St. Louis Rate Further Cut.

Fort Worth, Tex., Sept. 15.—As a result of the bitter rate war between railroads here a $5 rate to St. Louis and Kansas City was posted today. Railroad officials say the rate will be further reduced before the end of the present week.

President Miller Well Again.

President Roswell Miller of the Milwaukee and St. Paul has recovered from his illness. He was at his desk yesterday for the first time in many months, doing business as usual.

The building of the Central Y. M. C. A., 153 La Salle street, is crowded daily with young men joining the evening educational classes. Fifty-one subjects are taught. The expense is slight. Registration will continue this week.

FIX ON A JOLIET ROUTE.

That Part of the Proposed Channel Affecting the Illinois and Michigan Canal Is Agreed On—Fight Over the Allowance of "Extras" to Contractors Heidemair and Neu Results in Victory of the Final Estimate, Giving Them $6,995 Excess.

The drainage trustees yesterday adopted that portion of the canal route through the City of Joliet which affects the Illinois and Michigan Canal. This action, embodied in the indorsement of a series of resolutions that had been presented by the Engineering committee, was the only important work of the Drainage board's meeting save the approval of the final estimate for section B of the channel. This latter action was effected only after a lively tilt with Trustees Carter and Eckhart, minority members.

The plan adopted for the channel in Joliet is as follows:

"The sanitary district asserts its right under the law to enter upon and use the canal basins for the purpose of deepening the channel from Lockport and preventing an overflow at Joliet, the same to be done without injuring the usefulness of the canal.

"The upper basin is to be deepened from the point at which the Desplaines River enters the same to dam No. 1, and to conserve the water-power to remove dams 1 and 2 and substitute for them a dam which shall extend from the upper end of lock 6 (guard lock) diagonally across the Desplaines River down stream to a point near the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific tracks. It will be necessary to build between the new dam and dam No. 1 walls on each side of the river to bring the water in what is now pool 2 to the same height as the present level of the upper basin. To retain the slack water navigation a new lock will be built at the site of lock 6.

"In order to do the necessary work the water will be drawn from both the upper and middle basins, not unnecessarily interrupting or impairing the canal, and the canal will be restored to its former use and practicability."

Sharp Fight Over a Claim.

The fight over the approval of the final estimate for section B was lively. The contractors, Heidemair & Neu, claimed an excess of 25,910 cubic yards of earth over that given in the measurements of the board's engineers. The amount involved was $6,995.

Engineer Isham Randolph in his report recommended the payment of the excess claim. He represented that when McArthur Bros. abandoned the section a remeasurement was made by his engineers. They had used the ordinary pole in ascertaining the depth. The section was covered with water and deep with mud at the time. The contractors made another survey, their engineers using a disk at the end of the pole to prevent sinking into the mud. Mr. Randolph, apparently despairing of a solution of the claim in that manner, recommended the payment of the amount.

Trustee Carter wanted the matter referred to the Engineering committee, before which body, he said, the matter had never been discussed, although the claim had been pending for a long while. He added it was not presented to the board until the last moment.

Trustee Jones moved to pay the claim on the recommendation of the Chief Engineer. The rival motions precipitated a long discussion, Trustee Eckhart insisting that the board and not the engineer should decide if the claim was a just one, and that the Engineering committee should have time to inquire into it.

The end of the discussion resulted in the direction of the payment of the final estimate, Trustees Kelly, Wenter, Braden, Baldwin, Smyth, and Jones voting in the affirmative and Trustees Eckhart and Carter in the negative. Trustee Mallette was absent. The amount of money due on the contract was $62,630.

Other Business Transacted.

The contract for the building of the substructures of the bridges on sections G, N, and E was awarded to McArthur Bros. and the Winston company on their bid of a week ago at a basis of $3.50 a cubic yard for the concrete masonry.

The report of the drainage clerk showed an expense account of $311,559 for the month of August, of which amount $101,506 was for construction and $120,000 for redemption of 1896 tax levy warrants.

The clerk reported that there were outstanding $235,307 of tax levy warrants, of which $880,021 was of the issue of 1896 and $1,154,386 of the issue of 1897.

Do not drink foreign champagnes.
You will find better at home.
Drink Cook's Imperial Champagne.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS FILED FOR RECORD Wednesday, Sept. 15, 1897:

Saganaon-st., 41 s of 83d, e f, 25x124. April 29 (William A. Skinner to William T. Ward) ..... $ 6,000

Cross-terrace, 141 n of Colorado-av., w f, 24x78, July 26 [S. E. Gross to Homer C. Gross] 3,500

W. 14th-st., 476 w of Waller, s f, 25x100, Aug. 28 [Mary Davis to Morris Jacobson et al.] 6,000

Union-ct., 30 n of 17th-pl., e f, 30x100, more or less, Sept. 14 [Major McGregor, admr., to Ed Grohmann] 2,320

40th-st., 155 e of Greenes-av., n f, 25x150, undivided ¼ interest. Aug. 31 [James Lancaster to Harry Homewood] 2,000

W. 47th-pl., 192 w of Morgan-st., s f, 24x125, Sept. 9 [M. in C. to People's Benevolent association] 1,247

Oakley-av., 50 s of Hirsch-st., e f, 25x124, Sept. 13 [same to same] 2,957

Putnam-pl., n w cor Hamilton-av., s f, 37x121½, Sept. 13 [same to Henry P. Kranz] 3,835

Hamilton-av., 146 s of Sunnyside, w f, 37½x177, Sept. 13 [same to same] 1,833

66th-st., 166 w of Lowe-av., s f, 26x150, Aug. 28 [same to Louisa M. Sage] 5,747

Turner-av., 534½ s of W. 19th-st., w f, 22x125, July 26 [same to Emma C. Hosmer] 2,731

Aberdeen-st., 191 n of 63d, w f, 50x124, Aug. 24 [C. Schneider to Jacob Lampe] 7,000

Wentworth-av., 406 n of 33d-st., w f, 25x125, Sept. 14 [F. P. Brehm to M. Nelson] 2,400

Quincy-st., 208 s of Jackson-blvd., e f, 24x100, Sept. 1 [L. Ulrich to L. F. Ulrich] 1,800

Turner-av., 278 s of 24th-st., w f, 25x124, Sept. 13 [Jarco to J. Cibalka] 3,100

May-st., 24 n of W. 18th-pl., w f, 24x100, Sept. 13 [J. Cibalka to J. Jarco] 3,100

W. 21st-st., 240 e of Hoyne-av., s f, 24x125, Sept. 14 [J. Mau to F. H. Thiele] 2,400

S. 45th-av., 152 n of Washington-blvd., e f, 30x125, Aug. 26 [Benjamin F. George to William S. Cain] 3,250

Norton-av., 46th, n f, 25x124, Sept. 10 [A. A. Dahl to D. M. Tazelaar] 2,500

Rockwell-st., 639 s of Fullerton-av., w f, 23x190, Sept. 15 [Emma Base to Mary A. Mackin] 2,000

Princeton-av., 150 s of 50th-st., w f, 25x124, Nov. 2, 1896 [Wm. O'Brien to Cornelius O'Brien] 2,300

Union-av., 244½ n of 58th-st., w f, 24x125, June 2, 1896 [Frederick Ludwig and L. Assn. to Franklin Ames] 2,400

Ellis-av., 473 n of 39th-st., e f, 66x286, Sept. 14 [Adolphus Robertson to Francis D. Beveridge] 5,000

Hoyne-av., n w cor 36th-st., e f, 25x124, Sept. 13 [W. Schnitz to J. Kammerer] 1,100

W. 13th-st., 24 e of Lincoln, n f, 24x124, Sept. 14 [Henry Karweick to Caroline Behnke] 6,000

Same property. Sept. 14 [Caroline Behnke to Henry Karweick] 4,800

W. 21st-st., 118 w of May, 75 through to W. 20th-pl., Sept. 14 [Catherine Moore to Chas. S. Quinlan] 1,000

Ridgeway-av., 375 s of W. 16th-st., e f, 25x116, Sept. 14 [H. Kretchmer to G. J. Kammerer] 3,250

S. 45th-av., 125 n of Washington-blvd., e f, 37½x91 65-100, Sept. 10 [B. F. George to W. J. O'Brien] 4,000

Western-av., 110 n of Harrison-st., e f, 24x100, Sept. 15 [C. A. Fellows to H. H. Schneider] 3,500

Desplaines-st., s e cor 120th, w f, 75x128, Feb 16, 1880 [Amer. T. and S. Bank to A. Josiyn] 1,500

Lowe-av., 125 s of 120th-st., e f, 50x128, March 28, 1893 [same to M. M. Josiyn] 3,100

Lowe-av., 256 n of 80th-st., e f, 25x125, Sept. 14 [C. S. Quinlan to C. Moore] 3,100

Same property. Sept. 14 [C. Moore to J. S. Amick] 3,600

W. 86th-pl., 231 w of Butler-st., n f, 40x127, Aug. 16 [J. Miller to E. A. Thayer] 1,300

Peoria-st., s w cor 66th, e f, 50x124½, Sept. 14 [A. M. Mix to J. Irwin] 3,600

Sawyer-av., 72½ n of 57th-st., e f, 74x124, Aug. 27 [H. A. Schneider to C. A. Yellow] 1,500

Millard-av., 494 n of W. 28th-st., e f, 48x124 9-10, Sept. 1 [Doug. Park B. and L. Assn. to E. A. Basenep] 2,500

Hamlin-av., s w cor 27th-st., e f, 80x125, more or less, Sept. 14 [John Hansen to Thomas et al.] 5,000

Fulton-st., 137 w of Sheldon, s f, 26x124 6-10, Sept. 14 [same to same] 9,000

Park-av., 301 e of Hoyne, n f, 19 64-100x124, Sept. 14 [same to same] 8,000

Wabansia-av., s e cor Paris, e f, 25x153, Aug. 30 [F. Wisenmann to L. Pfeifer] 3,000

Same property. Aug. 30 [L. Pfeiffer to M. Wisenmann] 3,000

Troy-st., n e cor Garden-av., w f, 40x125, July 30 [A. Wismer to H. Koch] 1,100

Melrose-st., 301 e of Perry-av., s f, 25x125, Sept. 9 [J. C. Beck to J. Matthews] 2,200

Marshfield-av., 225 n of Cornelia, e f, 50x125, Sept. 1 [N. Buck to H. F. Sivain] 11,000

Eastwood-av., s w cor Hoyne, w f, 37x121, Sept. 14 [M. Bohan to W. S. Potwin] 1,250

Lincoln-av., 250 s e of Leavitt-st., n e f, 25 through to Leavitt-st., Aug. 21 [G. Grieneberger to J. Cross] 8,200

Harvard-st., 312 e of Washtenaw-av., s f, 225x126 5-10, also portion of L 4 to 9 in same block, lying e and s of curved line of s w of s f, Nov. 1, 1895 [Ambrose Piamondon and wife to Chicago Pneumatic Mailing company] 22,000

BUILDING PERMITS.

THE FOLLOWING PERMITS WERE ISSUED by the Building Department yesterday:

Michael F. McCann, 2-story frame residence, 7051 and 7053 Emerald-av. ..... $ 2,600

Sam Brown, jr., 1-story frame cottage, 437 Nelson-st. 1,000

Same, 1-story frame cottage, 442 George-st. 1,000

John Hedlestwait, 2-story brick storage house, 4858 and 4860 N. Clark-st. 1,000

C. Dahl, 1-story and basement brick cottage, 1043 Wolfram-st. 1,200

George Parker, 2-story and basement brick, flats, 2022 Fillmore-st. 3,000

R. J. Deedy, 1-story and basement brick cottage, 1698 Fillmore-st. 1,600

W. D. Ambrose, 2-story and basement brick flats, 811 S. Ridgeway-av. 4,000

D. B. Mill, 1-story brick addition, 312 Throop-st. 2,000

John Zach, 2-story and basement brick flats, 1007 S. Fairfield-av. 2,500

H. C. Peterson, 2-story and basement brick flats, 2173 Wilcox-av. 4,000

J. Doubreraea, 1-story and basement brick cottage, 680 S. Springfield-av. 1,200

W. Brauer, 3-story and basement brick flats, 42 Nebraska-st. 3,500

A. J. Ambrose, 1-story frame cottage, 2915 N. 46th-st. 1,000

Peter A. Egan, 1-story frame cottage, 1638 N. Sacramento-av. 1,500

M. Nelson, 1-story brick addition, 941 Crystal-st. 1,200

B. Winget, 2-story and basement brick flats, 47 Nebraska-st. 4,500

NEW INCORPORATIONS.

THE SECRETARY OF STATE YESTERDAY licensed the incorporation of the following companies:

The Desota Coal Washing company, at Chicago; to operate a plant for washing and handling coal; capital stock, $50,000; incorporators, William W. Evans, Andrew Hammell, J. E. Dixon.

The Auditing Bureau company, at Chicago; capital stock, $50,000; incorporators, Zebulon Foster, Sarah A. Foster, Mary C. Crays, and others.

The Klondike Social and Pleasure club, at Chicago; without capital stock; incorporators, John H. Doody, J. J. Farrell, Bernard J. French.

The Chicago Cemetery association at McHenry County; without capital stock; incorporators, E. L. Silipert, T. R. Mills, S. F. Dean.

The Kirkpatrick Cemetery association, at Franklin County; without capital stock; incorporators, C. F. Chaney, S. J. Jones, L. G. Price, and others.

The National Law School, at Chicago; without capital stock; incorporators, Thomas Armstrong, J. Armstrong, Charles M. Hovey.

The Imperial Wine and Distilling company, at Chicago, certified to a change of name to the Alaska Bonanza Mining, Trading, and Transportation company.

The Carlin-Ely company, at Jerseyville, certified to a dissolution of the corporation.

The Garden City Law School, at Chicago, certified to a dissolution of the corporation.

LOST AND FOUND.

RETURN SAMPLES OF CLOTH TAKEN from store of D. Strauss & Co., Van Buren and Franklin-sts., to Room 802, Chamber of Commerce Bldg., and receive reward; no questions asked.

LOST—NEAR CORNER OF CLARK AND FULlerton, Japanese terrier; reward for return to 754 Fullerton-av., Flat C.

BUSINESS PERSONALS.

PERSONAL— NOTICE.

A responsible wholesale jewelry firm will sell diamonds and watches on monthly or weekly payments to reliable parties; goods delivered on first payment; no security required. Send for catalogue. Address V V 5, Tribune office.

PERSONAL—A RESPONSIBLE WHOLESALE JEWELRY FIRM WILL SELL DIAMONDS, WATCHES, HIGH GRADE BICYCLES ON MONTHLY OR WEEKLY PAYMENTS; NO SECURITY REQUIRED; GOODS DELIVERED ON 1ST PAYMENT. SEE CATALOGUE. THE HERMAN BROS. & CO., COLUMBUS BLDG., 103 STATE.

PERSONAL—SEND FOR OUR WEEKLY Market Review and "Statistics and Trading," containing valuable tables, etc.; we give reference of 75 banks. WM. R. HENNIG & CO., Consolidated Exchange Bldg., Chicago.

PERSONAL — RHEUMATISM RAPIDLY cured by curative absorbent; neutralizes the acidity, absorbs the impurities, stimulates the blood; ladies only. BRUNTON, 1209 Masonic Temple; consultation free.

PERSONAL—DO YOU SPECULATE? I HAVE exclusive inside information on two stocks; $100 invested immediately will make $500 profit. Write CHAS. HUGHES, 63 Wall-st., New York.

PERSONAL—SUPERFLUOUS HAIR PERMAnently removed by electricity without injury to skin; ladies only. HELEN PARKER. Address M 857, Tribune office.

PERSONAL—COCKROACHES, ALL INSECTS exterminated; 14 years' experience. F. E. BROWN, 2124 Milch-blvd.

PERSONAL—COCKROACHES, BEDBUGS EXterminated from your premises under guaranteed contract. PERES, 427 State-st.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

Bookkeepers and Clerks.

SITUATION WANTED—IN AN OFFICE OR store by a reliable man who has had business school training and some experience in bookkeeping; salary very moderate to start. Address W 738, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED bookkeeper and general office man 30 years of age, capable and energetic, must have work; will accept small salary to start, if efficient he will merit advancement; ref. high. W 389, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BOOKKEEPER, CASHier, or general office assistant, by married man, 35; experienced in various kinds of office work past 15 years; A1 city references or bond. Address W 713, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN; conscientious stenographer and bookkeeper; 2 years' experience; references; salary moderate. Address R 989, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—THOROUGHLY EXperienced, competent bookkeeper and office manage 33; six years with present employers; A1 references or bond. Address W 346, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—RESPONSIBLE, ENergetic man having an office in a lively suburb of Chicago wishes to represent an A1 lunsurance com. Address W 380, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN; correct habits and business ability as assistant in office or store; good education and willing to hustle. Address W 702, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, 27 years old; six years' experience in general office and one year as correspondent; best of references. Address W 390, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—BILL AND ENTRY clerk, experienced [from dictation]; rapid, accurate, good penman; first-class references. Address W 867, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, bookkeeper and stenographer; four years' experience; first-class references. W 358, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY COMPETENT, steady, reliable bookkeeper; years of experience; wages reasonable. W 292, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN 22 in some office; some experience, and best of references strictly; salary $8 weekly. W 719, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, SALary no object; not afraid of work; best of references. W 400, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN AS night clerk in hotel, or what; reference, A. NELSON, 371 W. Erie-st.

SITUATION WANTED—IN DRUG STORE BY young man; 2 years' experience; Scandinavian. Address C P 330, Tribune office.

Salesmen, Solicitors, Etc.

SITUATION WANTED—WITH RESPECTABLE firm by pushing, first-class salesman; on salary and commission; well acquainted in city; 12 years' experience; good references. W 728, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, salesman, bookkeeper, and skilled in pawnbrokers' business; A1 city refs. W 347, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS SALESMAN; DRY goods or boots and shoes; experienced. Address W 373, Tribune office.

Trades.

SITUATION WANTED—BY STEADY, SOBER man as wagon lettering, striper, ornamenter, or any trade connected with the way; painting and bicycle work; or will rent good shop. Address W 276, Tribune office.

House Servants.

SITUATION WANTED—BY SOBER COACHman and general worker; handy around house; small wages; good references. W 405, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — BY FIRST-CLASS houseman; can wait table; best references. 3454 Cottage Grove.

Coachmen, Teamsters, Etc.

SITUATIONS WANTED—BY A YOUNG ENglish couple; man for coachman and general work; can milk; woman first-class cook and thoroughly understands general housework; we have good references; country preferred. Address W 306, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—AS A FIRST-CLASS coachman, general work; thoroughly experienced, sober, and reliable; city reference. Address W 305, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—AS COACHMAN; A first-class coachman, thoroughly understanding his business in all branches; references as to sobriety, honesty, and capability. W 717, Tribune office.

SITUATION WANTED—COACHMAN, YOUNG man, thoroughly understands his business; references from last employer, SAMUEL ROBB, 491 Wabasha-av.

SITUATION WANTED—BY EXP

ANTED—MALE HELP.

Salesmen, Solicitors, Etc.

MEN—IN EVERY LOCALITY FOR OUR and marvelous transforming signs, sells trades; wonderfully attractive and prac- ays $40 to $50 per week; particulars free. ecialty Co., 19 Pearl-st., Boston, Mass.

—TWO HIGH-GRADE SPECIALTY permanent position and good opening rties; references required from last ddress W 357, Tribune office.

—A FEW PERMANENT POSI- on just opened; staple line; salary or expenses. LUKE BROS. CO., Chicago.

MEN—FOUR SMART, WELL DRESSED, uccessful salesmen to represent a large cor- on the road; best of references required. W 354, Tribune office.

—GENTEEL AND INTELLIGENT, line to people direct; quick returns; good; investment required. Ask DWELL, 760, 334 Dearborn-st.

Boys.

T, IN LAW OFFICE. ADDRESS ibune office.

BOY TO WORK IN BOOK- East Monroe-st.

Trades.

EER—TO RUN A STEAM HEATING must have some knowledge of electricity. FRED GRIESHEIMER, Jackson and State-sts.

AKERS—FOR Fremont Saddlery Co., 178 Fre-

DER—FIRST-CLASS, TEMPORA- ss W 416, Tribune office.

ILL MEN—100—50 CAR BUILD- hinists, 50 molders; $25 R. R. fare om 324 La Salle-st.

WORKER—ALL-AROUND, FOR COUN- op. Apply to S. ED SNOW, Earlville, Ill.

Employment Agencies.

GRAPHE—RAPID; $12 START. 806, Chamber of Commerce.

MAN'S POR BANK; MUST SPEAK h. 185 Dearborn-st., Room 102.

Stenographers.

HER — AND CLERK. YOUNG to start on small wages with romotion; state fully experience, age, expected. W 375, Tribune.

APHER—YOUNG MAN; STENOGRAPH fferred; must have references. Ad- Tribune office.

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GRAPHER—MALE, FAMILIAR WITH fice work. Call 306 Opera-House Block.

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Miscellaneous.

CTORS—PROMINENT INDUSTRIAL IN- e Co. wants three active men to qualify ditions as collectors. Call Room 1, 555 W corner Wright.

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EXPERIENCED YOUNG MAN FOR TO- dept. in dept. store; references with reply. W 414, Tribune office.

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ANTED—FEMALE HELP.

Bookkeepers and Clerks.

EEPER—EXPERIENCED, LADY FOR concern on West Side; state former em- references and salary. W 404, Tribune.

FOR GENERAL OFFICE WORK; GIVE particulars in your handwriting of your and salary expected for personal inter- Address W 333, Tribune office.

Domestics.

COMPETENT, TO GO TO HIGHLAND Apply, with references, to 207 Bank Note Building, cor. Michigan-av. Illinois-st.

THOROUGH, COMPETENT GIRL; and cook and laundress; no other need Flat 52, 3100 Groveland-av.

EXPERIENCED, FOR SECOND WORK ring. 2 P. E. 47th-st.

2245 MICHIGAN-AV.—GERMAN OR sh girl for second work.

WORK—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSE- three in family; wages $5; must be first- ; must be competent to take charge. Aldine-square.

WORK—A FIRST-CLASS GENERAL work girl; must be good cook; German or ; family of three; wages $4; give ref- dress 302, Tribune office.

WIFE; MAN FOR COACHMAN nd man and wife experienced cook; n. Apply 241 Adams-st.

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South Side.

TWO BACHELORS ACCOMMODATED; LARGE handsomely furnished rooms; superior board; comforts; lake front, near quick transportation. Address W 714, Tribune office.

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1815 MICHIGAN-AV.—NEWLY AND HAND- some furnished rooms; superior table; walking

NO. 566 E. 43D-ST., LARGE CORNER ; large furnished parlors, large closets, steam heat, use kitchen, gas range.

TO RENT—ST E. 18TH-ST., APARTMENT 3— beautifully furnished rooms, every convenience, gentlemen.

TO RENT—3167 PRAIRIE-AV., FOR GENTLE- men; front chambers and bath; elegant private residence.

TO RENT—LARGE WELL FURNISHED ROOM, with board; steam heat; $12 per month. 3027 Indiana-av., Flat F.

TO RENT—NICELY FURNISHED DOUBLE rooms, $8 and $4 per week. 3025 Groveland-av.

TO RENT—BEAUTIFULLY FURNISHED FRONT parlor; newly decorated. 2407 Prairie-av., 2d flat.

TO RENT—ELEGANTLY FURNISHED ROOMS for gentlemen. 1907 Michigan-av.

North Side.

TO RENT—STE RUGIA, 473 DEARBORN-AV.— Rooms, single or en suite; elegant furniture; first-class in all respects; location unsurpassed; electric lights, hot water heat, hardwood floors, stationary washstands; American and European plan.

TO RENT—LARGE BACK PARLOR, ALSO SIN- gle room, very reasonable, with or without board; private family; references required. Address W 378, Tribune office.

TO RENT—FRONT BASEMENT ROOMS, IN- Devonshire, 97 Dearborn-av.; suitable for doctor's office or living rooms; janitor.

TO RENT—FRONT ROOM, $10 MONTH; ELEC- tric light, steam, two in family, block to Lincoln Park. 6 Crilly-ct., near Eugenie-st.

TO RENT—63 WALTON-PLACE, TWO DESIRA- ble front rooms, furnished.

TO RENT—262 ONTARIO-ST., NICE COOL front double and single rooms; every convenience.

TO RENT—FRONT SINGLE ROOM. 151 DEAR- born-av.

West Side.

TO RENT—VERY NICELY FURNISHED FRONT room for gentleman; private family. 540 Jack- son-blvd.

TO RENT—HOUSES.

South Side.

TO RENT—$225 AND $230 WABASH-AV.; two stone fronts, 11 rooms, $45. 2070, 12 rooms, $75. Stone Safe Deposit Co., 142 Adams-st.

TO RENT—KENWOOD—NICELY FURNISHED 10 rooms; perfect order. R 715, Tribune.

TO RENT—52 33D-ST., COZY 8-ROOM HOUSE; rent reduced; open.

TO RENT—FURNISHED HOUSE TO RELIA- ble party at rent reasonable. 79 44th-st.

North Side.

TO RENT—$30 DEARBORN-AV., A THREE- story and basement green stone house, newly finished in hardwood, and containing every modern; third house from Lincoln Park; pri- vate family only.

D. HILL & CO., 21 Tribune Bldg.

TO RENT—NORTH SIDE—NEAR NEWBERRY responsible tenants, pleasant house, 10 rooms and bath; $25. Immediate. Apply to NELSON, care MRS. ASHTON, Cryst- al.

TO RENT—467 AND 469 DEARBORN-AV. two double house, 30 rooms; newly re- modeled, steam heat, electric light, hardwood floors; will rent separately or together; 2 families in house. Call owner, 473 Dearborn-av.

TO RENT—MODERN 9-ROOM STONE FRONT house, near south end Lincoln Park; heated by steam; will be put in the street without expense. Room 204, 167 Dearborn-st.

TO RENT—MODERN HOUSE, FACING ANTOR, Shore-drive. 886 E. Division-st.

West Side.

TO RENT—351 S. OAKLEY-AV., CORNER 8- room house with barn; moderate rent. Inquire of J. W. BARBER, 164 Honore-st.

WANTED—HOUSES.

WANTED—TO RENT—A NORTH SIDE SUB- urban house with yard and barn; not less than 8 rooms; must be cheap. Address W 367, Tribune office.

WANTED—TO RENT—UNTIL MAY 1, BY A gentleman, residence, furnished or unfur- nished, Michigan-av., between 26th and 30th- sts. Address W 370, Tribune office.

WANTED—TO RENT—HOUSE, 8 TO 10 ROOMS, South Side or Englewood, convenient to Halsted- st. cars; suitable for rooming or boarding; good rent; state lowest price. R 713, Tribune office.

WANTED—TO RENT—MODERN FURNISHED house, 8 rooms; rent not to exceed $70; fa- mily of adults; without children. Address C J Tribune office.

TO RENT—FLATS.

South Side.

TO RENT—187 26TH-ST., NEAR MICHIGAN— new, light, clean 4-room flats; cheap.

TO RENT—FLATS.

South Side.

TO RENT—"BELVOIR," 4140-44 MADISON-AV. High class modern apartment bldg. Steel and iron construction.

LOCATED—CHOICEST PART OF KENWOOD. OVERLOOKING THE LAKE.

1 block from Kenwood depot; 8 and 9 rooms, beautifully finished in polished hard woods, lux- urious bathrooms, finished in marble and tile; spacious marble vestibules; elegant appointments throughout, and in every way adapted to the wants of high class tenants; rents $60 to $70.

W. K. YOUNG & BRO., 204 Dearborn-st. South Side office, Oakenwald-av. and 43d-st.

TO RENT—WE RECOMMEND THIS LIST: "THE FLEUR DE LIS," 3000 Wabash-av., ele- gant 9 and 4 room apartments, only $22.50 to $25; most modern and desirable in city; all conven- iences; refrigerators, sideboards, carpeted halls and stairs, no dark rooms; janitor attending.

"THE MINNETONKA," 3244-46 Wabash-av., 7 rooms, all conveniences, extra fine; $35 to $40.

"THE NAVARRO," 6339 Drexel-av., stone front, all conveniences, 2 road and cable; 7 rooms; $25.

H. O. STONE & CO., 206 La Salle-st.

TO RENT—NEW FLATS, 5837 MADISON-AV., 7 and 8 rooms, finished in various hard woods, including polished oak floors throughout, tiled bathrooms, marble sinks; beautifully decorated; all rooms are light; open space on each side of building, with side bays; the location is unsur- passed, within 5 minutes' ride to Hyde Park ex- press trains; we are renting these high grade flats from $45 to $55. Open for inspection.

TO RENT—"THE BLAIR BLDG.," 3004-6 FRA- lin-av., finished in modern manner, all hard- wood finish, steam heat, electric light, telephone service, and every convenience to be found in a first-class apartment building; nothing finer on South Side; reduced rentals.

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TO RENT—DOWN-TOWN FLATS.

THE ROOSEVELT, Corner South Park-av. and 22d-st. 5, 4, and 3 rooms, $21 to $27. Steam heat, elevator, gas ranges, all modern conveniences; best kept building on South Side.

LOUIS A. SEEBERGER, 115 Monroe-st.

TO RENT—490-96 BOWEN-AV., NEAR GRAND- blvd. and 41st-st., 4-room flats, in stone front building; steam heat, hot water, gas ranges, laundry, storerooms and janitor service; fine lo- cation; near elevated road and electric cars; rents reduced, $12.50 to $20. Agent at building.

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TO RENT—4712 CALUMET-AV. 1ST FLAT, 7 rooms, steam heat, refrigerator, hardwood floors and finish, and all modern improvements.

ERNEST R. GRAHAM, 167 Dearborn-st. Branch office, 47th and Calumet-av.

TO RENT—S-ROOM COR. FLAT OVERLOOK- ing lake, near 39; Central R. R., completely fur- nished; sell furniture. Address W 371, Tribune office.

TO RENT—CHOICE OF 6 OR 7 ROOM FLAT; furnace heat; 429 Garfield-pl.; pleasant place for a refined American family; $18.

TO RENT—8 LARGE ROOMS, HEATED, HOT water, tile bathroom; best location; fine order; low rent to small family. Apply 4211 Lake-av.

TO RENT—2 TO 6 ROOMS; GAS, HOT WATER, gas range; janitor service; private store- rooms; good light; $10 to $24. 2829 Calumet-av.

TO RENT—$15—4 AND 6 ROOM FLATS, 2924 and 2926 Cottage Grove-av.

HOLTON, SEELYE & MOONEY, 204 Dearborn-st.

TO RENT—6247 MONROE-AV., 1 BLOCK FROM I. C. and L stations, 6 room flat, heated with water. See janitor or owner, J. W. BOYD.

TO RENT—THE ROYER—SMALL, CLEAN, modern apartments and family hotel; $12 to $30; references; no dogs. 3826 Rhodes-av.

TO RENT—FLATS—3537 COTTAGE GROVE- av., $18, $18, $23; steam heat, hot water, bath- rooms.

TO RENT—3, 4, AND 7 ROOM APARTMENTS at Oxford, 1454 Michigan-av.; hot water, steam heat; $20 up to $35. First flat.

TO RENT—4, 5, 7 ROOMS AND BATH, $20, $21.50, $25; 4 rooms, bath, $15 to $18; steam, hot water, elevator, modern. 3105 Calumet-av.

TO RENT—4 TO 9 ROOM FLATS, MODERN; low rent. P. PATTERSON & SON, 108 Dearborn-st. 3rd floor.

TO RENT—MODERN FLATS IN THE "FOL- lansbee" and "Palo Alto," from $13 up. Of- fice, 174 23d-st., near Wabash. 'Phone, Sc. 1172.

TO RENT—CHEAP—3528-32 LAKE-AV., ELE- gant new 6 and 7 room flats; all modern con- veniences; open.

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North Side.

TO RENT—

ELEGANT APARTMENTS of six and seven rooms in THE MAJESTIC, ABSOLUTELY FIREPROOF, 82 and 84 Walton-pl., cor. Dearborn-st., with passen- ger and freight elevators, telephone, letter chute, and every conceivable modern convenience. Superintendent at building.

Also a Very desirable 6-room apartment in THE SHERIDAN, 576 and 578 La Salle-av., cor. of Carl-st., on upper floor, with southern and eastern exposure. For rent and particulars apply to G. F. FISCHER, 1220 Stock Exchange Building.

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SIX-ROOM APARTMENTS IN THE SHERIDAN. FIREPROOF, 576 to 582 La Salle-av., cor. Carl-st., near Lin- coln Park; 6 rooms, bath, hall, refrigerator closet; every modern convenience; elegant light, large rooms; rentals, $40 and $50; for further particu- lars, janitor at building, or apply to rent agent, G. F. FISCHER, 1220 Stock Exchange Building.

TO RENT—

52 AND 54 ST. JAMES-PL.,

Elegant new 8-room apartments; low rental.

SNYDACKER & CO., 153 Washington-st.

TO RENT—

CHOICE 8 AND 9 ROOM APARTMENTS in the "MONTAGUE," 489-491 Dearborn-av., north of Goethe-st.; steam heat, hot water, janitor service.

L. H. DIETRICH & CO., 90 La Salle-st.

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TO RENT—5, 6, AND 7 ROOM FLATS IN THE Florence, Bellevue and Kirkwood; modern; near the lake; walking distance. Office at 18 Bellevue- pl.

TO RENT—3 VERY DESIRABLE TWO-STORY apartments in the new high-grade building, 145- 147 Pine-st., Lincoln Park.

WINSTON & CO., 88 Washington-st.

TO RENT—6-ROOM FLATS, ONE BLOCK FROM south end of Lincoln Park; steam heat, hot water, gas ranges, etc.; $26 to $30. Apply 204, 167 Dearborn-st.

TO RENT—FURNISHED FLAT, 7 ROOMS; DI- rectly opposite Lincoln Park; steam heat, gas ranges; very desirable; low rent.

TO RENT—832 LA SALLE-AV., MODERN 8- room apartments, steam heat, hot water, bath- rooms, cedar closet. Keys 4th flat.

TO RENT—CHOICE 4 AND 6-ROOM FLATS; gas ranges; cor. Clark and Belmont-sts. R 713.

TO RENT—NICE LIGHT 6 ROOM FLAT. $16. 1007 Buckingham-pl.

West Side.

TO RENT—7 FURNISHED, HEATED ROOMS IN 11-room house for board of three adults; Wash- ington-blvd. Address W 377, Tribune office.

WANTED—FLATS.

WANTED—TO RENT—THREE GENTLEMEN desire a nicely furnished 4-room flat, with bath, gas, and 3 bedrooms; terms must be moderate. South Side. Address W 364, Tribune office.

WANTED—TO RENT—4 ROOM FLAT WITH OR without steam; 20 minutes' ride on L road; South or West; state price. W 408, Tribune office.

WANTED—TO RENT—HAVE A NO. 1 TEN- ants for 5 to 8 r. s. heat flats. N. S., and 5 to 5 r. on W. S. Address X K 120, Tribune office.

TO RENT—STORES.

South Side.

TO RENT—BEAUTIFUL NEW STORES, 43D- st., cor. Evans-av., 1 block west of Cot- tage Grove-av., with living rooms in rear; inside stores, $30 per month. MATSON HILL, owner, 607 Home Ins. Bldg.

TO RENT—FINE STORES AND LOFTS IN THE new building, 196 Wabash-av., n. w. corner Adams-st.; reasonable rents.

WINSTON & CO., 88 Washington-st.

North Side.

TO RENT — ELEGANT STEAM-HEATED store in the Majestic, 274 Rush-st., suitable for cigar, stationery, and news stand, etc. For par- ticulars inquire of Superintendent at building or apply to G. F. FISCHER, 1220 Stock Exchange Bldg.

TO RENT—OFFICES, LOFTS, ETC.

Offices.

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OFFICES IN THE ADAMS EXPRESS BLDG., 188 to 189 Dearborn-st.

Choice location, rapid elevator service, light offices, and reasonable rents.

JOHN C. McCORD, Room 40.

TO RENT—PRIVATE OFFICE, VAULT, LI- brary, typewriter, etc.; cheap. 1316 Unity Bldg.

TO RENT—HALLS.

TO RENT—A PAIR OF GOOD NIGHTS, WASH- ington Hall, 70 Adams-st.

TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS.

TO RENT—BUILDING, 206 AND 208 WABASH- av.; newly painted and in good order through- out; elevators, steam heat, etc.; this is a choice location. D. M. BERSKINE JR. & CO., 708 Cham- ber of Commerce.

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CITY REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—CHOICE IM- proved property in every part of city for vacant. HABERER & DELFOSSE, 95 Washington-st.

SOUTH SIDE REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—IMPORTANT NOTICE TO IN- vestors: I own a large corner lot in the most desirable location on the South Side for an apart- ment building; will consider 99 year lease, 4 per cent, on valuation. Address X K 108, Tribune office.

FOR SALE—NEW HYDE PARK RESIDENCES, 5129 to 5137 Madison-av., $17,500 to $18,000; terms; modern, complete, choice location, near I. C. fast trains; open; see them; owner there daily.

FOR SALE—SACRIFICE—$6,000 BUYS MY $10,- 000 house and barn, Indiana-av.; easy terms; leaving city. Room 35, 161 Randolph-st.

FOR SALE—NEW 8-FLAT BLDG., NR. GRAND- blvd. and 40th-st.; rent $1,450 year; worth $13,500; sell for $10,600. X K 12, Tribune office.

FOR SALE—4402-4406 MICHIGAN-BLVD., ELE- gant residences; hardwood throughout; inspection invited.

WEST SIDE REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—SPECIAL INDUCEMENT— 7 PER CENT NET GUARANTEED. $6,500, 2-story stone front house, desirable lo- cation; W. Side. If you want a home or invest- ment see this. Address W 379, Tribune office.

FOR SALE—GREAT BARGAIN—POLK-ST., near Sacramento, 2-story modern flat, worth $4,500; terms, $3,750. Address X K 119, Tribune.

FOR SALE—$4,550, LOT, 18-ROOM HOUSE, barn; former value $6,000; a commission al- lowed. 81 Aberdeen-st.

FOR SALE—WE HAVE SEVERAL BARGAINS in Douglas Park. THE ROOKERY.

Corner South Park-av. and 22d-st. 5, 4, and 3 rooms, $21 to $27. Steam heat, elevator, gas ranges, all modern conveniences; best kept building on South Side.

LOUIS A. SEEBERGER, 115 Monroe-st.

TO RENT—490-96 BOWEN-AV., NEAR GRAND- blvd. and 41st-st., 4-room flats, in stone front building; steam heat, hot water, gas ranges, laundry, storerooms and janitor service; fine lo- cation; near elevated road and electric cars; rents reduced, $12.50 to $20. Agent at building.

H. O. STONE & CO., 206 La Salle-st.

TO RENT—4712 CALUMET-AV. 1ST FLAT, 7 rooms, steam heat, refrigerator, hardwood floors and finish, and all modern improvements.

ERNEST R. GRAHAM, 167 Dearborn-st. Branch office, 47th and Calumet-av.

TO RENT—S-ROOM COR. FLAT OVERLOOK- ing lake, near 39; Central R. R., completely fur- nished; sell furniture. Address W 371, Tribune office.

TO RENT—CHOICE OF 6 OR 7 ROOM FLAT; furnace heat; 429 Garfield-pl.; pleasant place for a refined American family; $18.

TO RENT—8 LARGE ROOMS, HEATED, HOT water, tile bathroom; best location; fine order; low rent to small family. Apply 4211 Lake-av.

TO RENT—2 TO 6 ROOMS; GAS, HOT WATER, gas range; janitor service; private store- rooms; good light; $10 to $24. 2829 Calumet-av.

TO RENT—$15—4 AND 6 ROOM FLATS, 2924 and 2926 Cottage Grove-av.

HOLTON, SEELYE & MOONEY, 204 Dearborn-st.

TO RENT—6247 MONROE-AV., 1 BLOCK FROM I. C. and L stations, 6 room flat, heated with water. See janitor or owner, J. W. BOYD.

TO RENT—THE ROYER—SMALL, CLEAN, modern apartments and family hotel; $12 to $30; references; no dogs. 3826 Rhodes-av.

TO RENT—FLATS—3537 COTTAGE GROVE- av., $18, $18, $23; steam heat, hot water, bath- rooms.

TO RENT—3, 4, AND 7 ROOM APARTMENTS at Oxford, 1454 Michigan-av.; hot water, steam heat; $20 up to $35. First flat.

TO RENT—4, 5, 7 ROOMS AND BATH, $20, $21.50, $25; 4 rooms, bath, $15 to $18; steam, hot water, elevator, modern. 3105 Calumet-av.

TO RENT—4 TO 9 ROOM FLATS, MODERN; low rent. P. PATTERSON & SON, 108 Dearborn-st. 3rd floor.

TO RENT—MODERN FLATS IN THE "FOL- lansbee" and "Palo Alto," from $13 up. Of- fice, 174 23d-st., near Wabash. 'Phone, Sc. 1172.

TO RENT—CHEAP—3528-32 LAKE-AV., ELE- gant new 6 and 7 room flats; all modern con- veniences; open.

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North Side.

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ELEGANT APARTMENTS of six and seven rooms in THE MAJESTIC, ABSOLUTELY FIREPROOF, 82 and 84 Walton-pl., cor. Dearborn-st., with passen- ger and freight elevators, telephone, letter chute, and every conceivable modern convenience. Superintendent at building.

Also a Very desirable 6-room apartment in THE SHERIDAN, 576 and 578 La Salle-av., cor. of Carl-st., on upper floor, with southern and eastern exposure. For rent and particulars apply to G. F. FISCHER, 1220 Stock Exchange Building.

TO RENT—

SIX-ROOM APARTMENTS IN THE SHERIDAN. FIREPROOF, 576 to 582 La Salle-av., cor. Carl-st., near Lin- coln Park; 6 rooms, bath, hall, refrigerator closet; every modern convenience; elegant light, large rooms; rentals, $40 and $50; for further particu- lars, janitor at building, or apply to rent agent, G. F. FISCHER, 1220 Stock Exchange Building.

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52 AND 54 ST. JAMES-PL.,

Elegant new 8-room apartments; low rental.

SNYDACKER & CO., 153 Washington-st.

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CHOICE 8 AND 9 ROOM APARTMENTS in the "MONTAGUE," 489-491 Dearborn-av., north of Goethe-st.; steam heat, hot water, janitor service.

L. H. DIETRICH & CO., 90 La Salle-st.

TO RENT—52 AND 54 ST JAMES-PLACE, ELE- gant new 8-room apartments, near Lincoln Park; reasonable rent. SNYDACKER & CO., 153 Washington-st.

TO RENT—5, 6, AND 7 ROOM FLATS IN THE Florence, Bellevue and Kirkwood; modern; near the lake; walking distance. Office at 18 Bellevue- pl.

TO RENT—3 VERY DESIRABLE TWO-STORY apartments in the new high-grade building, 145- 147 Pine-st., Lincoln Park.

WINSTON & CO., 88 Washington-st.

TO RENT—6-ROOM FLATS, ONE BLOCK FROM south end of Lincoln Park; steam heat, hot water, gas ranges, etc.; $26 to $30. Apply 204, 167 Dearborn-st.

TO RENT—FURNISHED FLAT, 7 ROOMS; DI- rectly opposite Lincoln Park; steam heat, gas ranges; very desirable; low rent.

TO RENT—832 LA SALLE-AV., MODERN 8- room apartments, steam heat, hot water, bath- rooms, cedar closet. Keys 4th flat.

TO RENT—CHOICE 4 AND 6-ROOM FLATS; gas ranges; cor. Clark and Belmont-sts. R 713.

TO RENT—NICE LIGHT 6 ROOM FLAT. $16. 1007 Buckingham-pl.

West Side.

TO RENT—7 FURNISHED, HEATED ROOMS IN 11-room house for board of three adults; Wash- ington-blvd. Address W 377, Tribune office.

WANTED—FLATS.

WANTED—TO RENT—THREE GENTLEMEN desire a nicely furnished 4-room flat, with bath, gas, and 3 bedrooms; terms must be moderate. South Side. Address W 364, Tribune office.

WANTED—TO RENT—4 ROOM FLAT WITH OR without steam; 20 minutes' ride on L road; South or West; state price. W 408, Tribune office.

WANTED—TO RENT—HAVE A NO. 1 TEN- ants for 5 to 8 r. s. heat flats. N. S., and 5 to 5 r. on W. S. Address X K 120, Tribune office.

TO RENT—STORES.

South Side.

TO RENT—BEAUTIFUL NEW STORES, 43D- st., cor. Evans-av., 1 block west of Cot- tage Grove-av., with living rooms in rear; inside stores, $30 per month. MATSON HILL, owner, 607 Home Ins. Bldg.

TO RENT—FINE STORES AND LOFTS IN THE new building, 196 Wabash-av., n. w. corner Adams-st.; reasonable rents.

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TO RENT — ELEGANT STEAM-HEATED store in the Majestic, 274 Rush-st., suitable for cigar, stationery, and news stand, etc. For par- ticulars inquire of Superintendent at building or apply to G. F. FISCHER, 1220 Stock Exchange Bldg.

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Choice location, rapid elevator service, light offices, and reasonable rents.

JOHN C. McCORD, Room 40.

TO RENT—PRIVATE OFFICE, VAULT, LI- brary, typewriter, etc.; cheap. 1316 Unity Bldg.

TO RENT—HALLS.

TO RENT—A PAIR OF GOOD NIGHTS, WASH- ington Hall, 70 Adams-st.

TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS.

TO RENT—BUILDING, 206 AND 208 WABASH- av.; newly painted and in good order through- out; elevators, steam heat, etc.; this is a choice location. D. M. BERSKINE JR. & CO., 708 Cham- ber of Commerce.

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MONEY LOANED PRIVATELY ON FURNI- ture, pianos, horses, carriages, without removal, at low rates; can pay off notes; money and a friend, too, call on me. Live and let live is my motto. Time and payment to suit borrower. A. H. SHAVER, Banker, 609 Dearborn-st., R. 28.

MONEY TO LOAN IN AMOUNTS TO SUIT, AND may be repaid in installments, on secured notes, goods in store, mortgages and unreliable securities of all kinds; stocks and bonds of local corpora- tions, city warrants, etc., bought and sold. SHIELDS & BRO., 95 Clark-st., Room 220.

LOANS TO RESPONSIBLE PARTIES CONFI- dentially on furniture and pianos; sums to suit; part payments taken; costs reduced; lowest rates. 24 La Salle-st., 3d floor, Room 304.

LOANS—HONEST PEOPLE IF EMBARRASSED financially; city school teachers, firemen, and police, in company with their wives, call S. RICH- ARDSON, 196 E. Madison-st., Suite 25.

WANTED—PARTY TO DISCOUNT CHOICE IN- dorsed short time notes; $100 to $300; liberal dis- count. Address W 700, Tribune office.

MONEY LOANED SALARIED PEOPLE ON their own names without security; can pay back weekly. Room 802, 154 Monroe-st.

LIFE INSURANCE POLICIES PURCHASED— Longest time; highest prices. RICHARD HERREFELD, 111 La Salle-st., R. 617 New York Life Bldg. Est. 1873.

LIFE INS. POLICIES PURCHASED; LOANS ON same; legal interest. John V. Fox, 106 Dearborn.

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ALPHEUS M. SMITH, INVESTMENT BANKER, 100 WASHINGTON-ST., ROOM 901. Loans money on easy terms on furniture and pianos, warehouse receipts, etc., without removal. You have the use of the property and also of the money.

Payments arranged on monthly installment plan or to suit your convenience. Business done quiet- ly, without publicity.

No charges taken out in advance. You get the full amount of the loan in cash.

You can deal with me quickly, privately, satis- factorily, and confidentially.

It has been a pleasure to me to notice that my old customers always come back to me when again in need of money. CALL AND SEE ME.

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LOUIS P. HOPKINS, 167 Dearborn-st., Room 702.

N. e. corner Monroe and Dearborn-sts.; also 8308 W. 63d-st., Englewood (over postoffice). Englewood office open evenings.

CHICAGO MORTGAGE LOAN CO., 175 Dearborn-st., Rooms 18 and 19. Makes loans of $500 and small, on house- hold goods, pianos, horses, wagons, and warehouse receipts at very lowest rates; loans can be paid at any time. If you need a loan please call on us.

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MINES AND MINING.

KLONDIKE EXPEDITION IN THE FIELD— Own and work rich mines in the Kootenai; strong mining, exploration, and trading company. Pres't., Sir H. P. Howland, Toronto; Z. P. Brosseau, Board of Trade, Chicago; and others; shares 25 cts.; par value $1 buy before advance; new map free. The Gold and Silver Mines Developing Co., 424 Ashland Block, Chicago.

FOR THE KLONDIKE—

Any company of men wishing the services of an old expert miner of 12 years' experience in Cal- ifornia, who can furnish the highest references, ad- dress Lock Box 52, Elroy, Wisconsin.

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WAR ON TROLLEY.

Ald. Nelson Aims to Lessen Peril from Electric Cars.

CRUSADE TO SAVE LIFE.

Will Ask the Council's Aid in Gathering Statistics.

LOWER SPEED AND FENDERS.

Move Prompted by Increase of Deaths and Injuries.

SOUTHERN WIRES ON ONE POLE.

Resolutions intended to form the foundation of a crusade against too rapid or careless running of electric cars and for enforcing the use of fenders and other safeguards against street car accidents will be introduced at the first meeting of the City Council after vacation by Alderman Nelson of the Thirty-second Ward.

Alderman Nelson believes twelve miles an hour is a sufficiently high speed for street cars to maintain. He will ask that this question of speed, together with that of protective appliances, be investigated by a committee of five Aldermen.

Text of Resolutions.

The resolutions follow:

"Whereas, It has become a matter of common report that the managements of several electric street railway companies are taking possession of the rights and privileges granted to them by the city without due regard to the duties to the public imposed upon them in return; and,

"Whereas, One of the most serious dereliction of duty complained of is the absolute lack of protection to people crossing the streets in the vicinity of rapidly moving cars; and,

"Whereas, Even in fifth and sixth rate cities in other parts of the United States street railways have not only regulated their speed to suit the convenience of the people, but have at considerable expense placed on and about their cars guards and fenders to prevent fatal injuries; and,

"Whereas, Serious injuries, including those resulting in death, have within the last year, in one month, amounted to the number of eighty-three in our city from such accidents; now, therefore, be it

"Resolved, By the City Council of the City of Chicago, that the Mayor be and is hereby requested and authorized to appoint a committee of five, composed of members of this Council, to investigate and report at a meeting of this Council, not later than the second meeting from this date.

"First—The number of deaths and accidents reported from this cause within the last twelve months.

"Second—The names of the cities, as near as may be, where protection is had by means of appliances attached to the cars.

"Third—Whether any of the electric street railway companies of this city has entered into or contemplates entering into any contract for the furnishing of its cars with any protective appliances.

"Fourth—Whether these companies can be compelled to adopt such means of protection if they refuse to do their duty in this respect."

All Wires on Single Poles.

The City Law department holds that necessary safeguards may be required of the companies under the police power of the city. The Law department drafted the ordinance for Alderman Nelson.

City Electrician Ellicott secured an agreement by which the electrical companies using poles in the South Division agree to string their wires on a single pole. The companies agreeing are the Hyde Park, Thomson & Houston, Hyde Park Electric, People's Electric Light and Motor Power, Englewood Electric Light, Chicago Telephone, and Western Union. In some of the streets of the district affected there are at present as many as five different sets of poles with electrical equipment.

CONTRACTS FOR WATER PIPES.

City Will Soon Ask for Bids for Furnishing Seven Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars' Worth.

Contracts aggregating $750,000 will soon be awarded by the city for new water pipes. They are to cover such portions of that territory to be supplied by the big land tunnel as have no pipes and also to replace some pipes in the northwestern section of the city which are inadequate for carrying water above second stories. The Public Works department will advertise for bids so they can be opened Sept. 28.

The department is anxious over the probability the vast sum of money involved will be taken away from Chicago. It is said there is not a concern here prepared to manufacture the kinds of piping required, unless the Illinois Steel company can do it.

A member of Commissioner McGann's staff said yesterday as the contract will be paid for out of the water fund the contractors are not likely to have much trouble getting their money. By Jan. 1, 1898, it is estimated the collections in the fund will amount to about $1,000,000. The contracts for new piping will call for something like 34,000 tons.

The new land tunnel is nearing completion. By the time it is finished it is hoped to have the pumping stations that will connect with it ready for operation, and that there may be no delay thereafter it is also proposed to put the required amount of new pipe down as rapidly as possible.

PLANS MORE TRACK ELEVATION.

Expert O'Neill Has Ordinances Preparing Requiring Grade Changes by Seven Railroads.

John O'Neill, the city's engineer on track elevation, is preparing ordinances for presentation to the Council which will require seven railroads to change the grade of their roadbeds within the city limits. Thirty-five miles of track are to be elevated, involving an expenditure of $6,000,000.

The work contemplated is to be finished within two years. Under the proposed plans the Ashland avenue and Western avenue viaducts over the Pan-Handle road will be abolished.

The roads whose tracks are to be elevated are:

Pennsylvania, Eighteenth to Fifty-fifth street.
Chicago and Western Indiana, Seventy-second street to the river.
Chicago and Grand Trunk, Fortieth to Halsted street.
Union Stock-Yards and Transfer, Michigan avenue to Halsted street.
Pan-Handle, Western avenue to Ada street.
Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, North to Devon avenue.
Chicago and Northwestern, Rockwell to Ada street.

Will Do Her Father's Work.

Civil Service Commissioner Winston yesterday granted permission for Maud Freeman, daughter of John Freeman, for thirty years bookkeeper of the Department of Public Works, to do her father's work until he regains his health. Mr. Freeman is now at Lake Geneva, being cared for by friends. His recovery is considered doubtful.

Springfield and Return, $5.

On account of the Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. meeting the Wabash road will sell tickets from Chicago to Springfield and return at $5, good going on all trains of Monday, Sept. 20, and good returning until Sept. 22, inclusive. Ticket office, 97 Adams street.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Prescription No. 2,851, put up by Elmer & Amend and sold by Gale & Blockt, 44 Monroe-st. and 34 Washington-st., will relieve those afflicted with rheumatism. Try a bottle.

Dr. Siegert's Angostura Bitters excites the appetite and digestive organs.

CURRENT EVENTS IN SOCIETY.

Wallace-McNulty, Geer-Williams, and Rosenwald-Adler Weddings Celebrated.

The wedding of Miss Harriette Wallace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Wallace, to Mr. James Henry McNulty, took place last evening at 8 o'clock in the Cathedral of the Holy Name, Superior and North State streets. Miss Lucia Hickey was the maid of honor, and Mr. Percy Sullivan was the best man. After the ceremony Mrs. Henry L. Turner, an aunt of the bride, gave a wedding supper at her home, 57 Cedar street.

The wedding of Mrs. Anna Geer, daughter of Mr. S. R. Quantick, to Mr. Charles A. Williams, took place last evening at 8 o'clock at Calvary Baptist Church, Thirty-eighth street and Wabash avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Williams will be "at home" after Oct. 1 at 6114 Washington avenue.

The marriage of Miss Sophie Rosenwald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Rosenwald, to Mr. Max Adler, was celebrated yesterday afternoon at the residence of the bride's parents, Dr. E. G. Hirsch officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Crounse, 249 Home avenue, Oak Park, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Cora Fidelia Crounse, to Mr. G. Whittier Gale of Oak Park.

Mrs. H. L. Bird, 3961 Drexel boulevard, gave a reception yesterday afternoon and evening.

A gypsy party will be given this evening for the benefit of La Rabida Sanitarium at 99 Forty-seventh street.

The women of the Union Park Congregational Church will give a reception this evening for Dr. and Mrs. F. A. Noble.

A watermelon party will be given tomorrow evening in the parlors of Pilgrim Congregational Church, Harvard avenue and Sixty-first street, for the benefit of the Mayflower Kindergarten, Forty-fourth street and Wentworth avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Brandt Walker left yesterday for Virginia Hot Springs, to be absent several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Starkweather and Miss Julia Starkweather, 586 Dearborn avenue, have returned to the city.

Miss Stephanie Levert of New Orleans is the guest of Miss Barbara Durell, 3000 Kenmore avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hewitt have returned to the city.

Mrs. C. A. Corbin, 507 Dearborn avenue, leaves today to visit friends in New York and New England.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Bensinger, 2217 Calumet avenue, went East yesterday on an extended trip.

POLICEMAN'S VICTIM MAY DIE.

Newhall, Alias Woodward, Alleged Burglar Shot by an Officer, in a Bad State.

Charles Newhall, alias Gus Woodward, lies on a cot at the County Hospital with an even chance for life or death. He still insists upon the story that the duel between Officer George L. Trafton and burglars at the residence of Deputy Sheriff Edmund E. Lee, 459 West Monroe street, early yesterday morning, found in him the usual innocent victim.

Officer Trafton said last night that he had seen four men with a bundle coming toward him in Monroe street. He stepped behind a tree and watched them enter Lee's yard. Two went to the rear of the house, where a light was burning, and the other pair went to the front window, upon which they began work with a jimmy. He started toward them and was met at the curb by the four men. Three of them opened fire with revolvers and the fourth threw a jimmy.

Trafton then drew his revolver and fired, wounding the man who gave his name as Woodward and was afterwards identified as Newhall, with a bullet through the temple. The other three ran down the street. Trafton fired two shots after them and one of the men dropped. His companions picked him up and he ran on with their assistance. The officer says the wounded prisoner was with the men when he first saw them and states that he is the man who opened the window and threw the jimmy.

While admitting that his reputation is not of the best, Newhall maintains his innocence in this affair. He has told several stories to excuse his being in the neighborhood, but has failed to give the names of the persons he claims to have been with.

MAYOR OF DULUTH EXPLAINS.

City Has Advanced One Million Dollars for Street Improvement Which Is a Lien on Property.

Duluth, Minn., Sept. 15.—Mayor Truelsen, referring to recently published statements about the financial condition of Duluth, said:

"The city has advanced during the last four years over $1,000,000 on street improvement certificates on which default was made by owners of property. These certificates are a first lien on all the property against which they were issued. In addition to these large advances, the receipt of general taxes has largely fallen off. Under these circumstances it became incumbent upon me to reduce the running expenses to meet the financial condition. The reductions in the different departments amount to from $35,000 to $40,000 per annum. There is not the least fear that Duluth will fail to meet her obligations as promptly in the future as she has met them in the past."

WEDDING OF A JOURNALIST.

Charles H. Boynton and Miss Florence Gaines Are Married in Washington.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 15.—One of the most interesting social events of the season was the celebration today at the Church of the Covenant of the wedding of Charles H. Boynton, night manager of the Associated Press, and Miss Florence Gaines of this city.

Notable among the guests were Secretary and Mrs. Alger, Secretary Gage and Mrs. Gage, Assistant Secretary Vanderlip, Assistant Secretary Roosevelt, Frank B. Noyes of the Washington Star, Assistant Secretary of State Day, Commissioner of Pensions Evans, and many other prominent persons. William D. Farwell of the New York Tribune acted as best man. After the wedding breakfast the bridal couple left for the North.

SUICIDE ENDS LOVERS' QUARREL

Miss Bertha Levi Closes Her Troubles by Turning On the Gas.

Bertha Levi, 24 years old, of 495 Center avenue, quarreled with her lover a few weeks ago and brooded over the matter until Tuesday night, when she committed suicide by asphyxiation.

The body of the young woman was found by Mrs. Levi yesterday morning, when she went to call her for breakfast. All gas jets in the rooms were turned on.

Miss Levi and her lover did not mend their differences, and she grew more despondent from day to day, frequently hinting that she would destroy herself. An inquest was held and a verdict returned in accordance with the facts.

MRS. LORZ BURNED TO DEATH.

Removes an Exploded Kerosene Stove and Is Enveloped by the Flames.

Mrs. Frances Lorz of 214 Noble avenue was fatally burned yesterday morning by the explosion of a kerosene stove, upon which she had prepared her husband's breakfast a few minutes before.

In her efforts to save her home Mrs. Lorz grasped the blazing stove and carried it to the back yard. This act cost her her life, as her dress caught fire. She ran into a neighbor's yard, where her cries attracted Herman Pornmano, who wrapped his coat around the woman and extinguished the fire. The sufferer was taken to the German Hospital, where she died at 3:30 p. m. She was 50 years old.

BUTTERINE MEN IN ARMS.

MAKERS SECURE RELEASE OF DEALERS PENDING HABEAS CORPUS.

Petitions Presented by Manufacturers in Three Courts — First Move in What the Producers Say Will Be a Battle Against the "Buttter Trust" Clear Up to the Tribunal of Last Resort—Personnel of the Combatants Involved.

The manufacturers of butterine have taken arms against what they call the "malicious persecution of the butter thust." They say they mean business, and propose to carry the fight to the court of last resort. Richard Prendergast and J. E. Deakin are the attorneys.

The first skirmish was had yesterday in habeas corpus proceedings, and resulted in securing the release, on their own recognizance, of all the dealers who have been arrested for violation of the butterine law. William J. Moxley, Braun & Fitz, and the Friedman Maunfacturing company were the petitioners, and forty dealers in butterine were those for whom relief was asked. The three petitioners are leading manufacturers.

Dealers in Butter.

Opposed to these stand the butter dealers, an association of South Water street merchants whom the butterine men call "conspirators." These are:

Joseph B. Bearl, 157 South Water street.
Solomon T. Fish, 189 South Water street.
Maurice A. Mandelbaum, 189 South Water street.
Daniel J. Coyne, 161 South Water street.
Richard J. Coyne, 161 South Water street.
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Frank Emerson, 87 South Water street.
H. E. Marlow, 87 South Water street.
George R. Linn, 87 South Water street.
James E. Keith, 135 South Water street.
John R. Price, 135 South Water street.
C. H. Maser, 129 South Water street.
Alba W. Merrill, 126 South Water street.
Elnathan S. Eldredge, 126 South Water street.
Louis Lepmann, 110 South Water street.
Frank M. Heggie, 110 South Water street.

Another man, whose name is included in the list of alleged "conspirators," is George W. Linn, who has sworn to all the complaints made against dealers for selling butterine in violation of the law. It is said that he is a detective. He obtained most of his warrants before a Justice of the Peace living in Austin.

In the coming fight the whole question of the nature and manner of manufacture of butterine, or oleomargarine, is to be gone over, and in this way it is hoped to prove the two products are the same to all intents and purposes.

One contention upon which the butterine men place considerable reliance is that there is a butter trust organized for the purpose of putting up the retail price of butter, to the detriment of the consumer. They are armed with a long exhibit of statistics, which seem to show that the price of butter has been kept within living limits for a number of years, solely by the sale of butterine.

List of Dealers Involved.

The arrested dealers, for whom directly the habeas corpus proceedings have been begun, are:

W. J. Moxley, August Frank, Gus Padewa, Theodore Freeman, Isaac Keim, Andrew C. Kressman, Frank J. Dolezal, William Lueller, Moses Erman, Charles Nelson, George Dasing, Eleora Rice, John Lendke, F. C. Voss, C. Hawes, B. Homan, Simon Lederer, John Lindquist, Walter LeBeau, H. R. Eagle, W. R. Eagle, Neils C. Dahl, Morris Mayer, Vaclav Janecek, John C. Walter, Albert Nieberger, William Nieberger, Frank M. Nieberger, Gus Lindquist, Herman C. Schueveman, Robert W. Reinboth, Mary Reiter, Edward Russell, John E. Washick, S. C. Penington, L. H. Johnson, E. F. Bryan, Theodore F. Stoffregan, J. F. Burke, D. F. Burke.

All these surrendered themselves yesterday to the Sheriff and thus released their bondsmen. While they remained in custody the three petitions for habeas corpus were filed respectively with Judge Haney, Judge Chetlain, and Judge Brentano. The hearings were set for Sept. 28, Sept. 30, and Oct. 5 respectively.

The question of the constitutionality of the law will doubtless be broached when Otto Young and Augusta Lehman of The Fair, George Braun and John F. Jelke of Braun & Fitz, and William Broadwell and George Thayer of Broadwell & Thayer are arraigned.

POLICE WATCHING FOR ANARCHY

Chief Kipley Declares No More Social Democracy Speeches Will Be Allowed.

Anarchistic utterances similar to those of last Sunday at the Social Democracy gathering will be prohibited in the future, according to Chief of Police Kipley. The Chief returned yesterday morning from a two-days' fishing trip in Wisconsin, and said:

"That kind of talk caused a great deal of trouble in this city once, and we do not propose to permit a repetition of the affair. The same police officers are on guard today who were in command during the haymarket riot. We will have no difficulty in putting a stop to the agitation. The public may be assured there is no cause for alarm.

"There will be no more meetings like those held last Sunday. It will not take us long to convince the agitators that we are in earnest about this matter. Anarchists need expect no favors at the hands of the police. This department will put a stop to the meetings before it is possible for any trouble to result."

Several socialistic organizations are now under detective surveillance, and at the first indication of incendiary meetings, in secret or otherwise, the persons implicated will be arrested.

Bauer Hears Case Against Hill.

Justice Bauer yesterday heard a part of the testimony in the case of John Hill Jr., W. W. Scott, R. Maynard, and R. B. King, charged with conspiracy. Testimony was to the effect that Mr. Hill was instrumental in causing raids on alleged bucket-shops.

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